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In Flanders fields."

BIRTH.

WING—November 7, 1923, to Mr. and Mrs. Mornington Wing, Gordon House, Newbridge, Co. Kildare, a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

CURRAN and O'NEILL—November 7, 1923, at the Church of St. John the Baptist, Clontarf, with Nuptial Mass, by the Rev. W. Meighan, C.C., Joseph E. elder son of John J. Curran, 49 South Great George's st., Dublin, to Aileen, daughter of Hugh O'Neill, 79 Hollybrook rd., Clontarf, Dublin.

BENTON and ASHLEY—November 14, 1923, at Saint James's, Cape Town, Harold Renton, M.B., to Norah May, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. J. E. Ashley, late of Kingstown.

YEATES and WYLIE-WHYTE—November 10, 1923, at the Garrison Church, Colaba, Bombay, Captain E. P. Yeates, Indian Army, to Christine Grace Wylie-Whyte.

DEATHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for insertion in this column will be found on Page 4.

BREWSTER—November 12, 1923, in his 82nd year, Charles, beloved husband of Ellen J. Brewster, Sea Cote, Newcastle, Co. Down. "Thy will be done."

CONDELL—November 13, 1923, at a Private Nursing Home, Margaret Condell, widow of Rev. Edward Condell, Methodist Minister, and daughter of late Nathaniel Maskins, Wicklow. Funeral (by motor) arriving at Wicklow Churchyard to-morrow (Thursday), 2 o'clock. No flowers.

FARRELL—November 11, 1923, at the Adelaide Hospital, after short illness, Essie, the beloved wife of the late Michael Farrell, 25 Lower Mount st. "The Lord is my Shepherd, I shall not want." Funeral (private), Mount Jerome.

FITZ-GERALD—On Monday, November 12, 1923, at Clona Villa, Clones, Mary Elizabeth (May), only surviving daughter of the late William Marshall Fitz-Gerald and Mrs. Fitz-Gerald. Funeral, 12.30, to-day (Wednesday).

HARRISON—November 11, 1923, at Coates Manor, Cirencester, Glos., Oswald, son of the late Edward Hodgson Harrison, of Plymouth, Cheshire, husband of Margaret Cribbs Harrison. Interment, after cremation, at Cirencester Parish Church to-day (Wednesday), 14th inst., at 2 p.m.

HOWLETT—November 12, 1923, James Howlett, youngest son of Nicholas Howlett, 3 Beech Hill, Donnybrook. Deeply regretted by father, sisters, and brother. R.I.P. Funeral will leave Church of the Sacred Heart, Donnybrook, to-day (Wednesday), 1 o'clock, for Kilbarrack Cemetery.

LOFTUS—November 13, 1923, at Earl's st., Mullingar, John Loftus, aged 85.

MAGUIRE—November 11, 1923, 93 Hollybank rd., Drumcondra, William Maguire, late Managing Partner of R. Geoghegan, Ltd., Nassau st. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing wife and children. R.I.P. Funeral (Wednesday) morning, 14th inst., after 10 o'clock Mass, from Iona Catholic Church to Glasnevin.

MATHERS—November 12, 1923, suddenly, at the Soldiers' Home, Parkgate, Henry Malbert, Manager for thirty-three years. Deeply regretted. Funeral, 10 o'clock, to-day (Wednesday), 14th, for Mount Jerome Cemetery.

MOORE—November 13, 1923, after a long illness, William Edmund Armstrong Moore, M.A., aged 41 years, dearly-beloved eldest son of Sir John and Lady Moore of 40 Fitzwilliam square, Dublin. Funeral private. No flowers.

O'DWYER—November 13, 1923, at The Quarry, Thurles, Thomas O'Dwyer, Dublin and Thurles, for many years connected with the Dublin Press, and late Secretary of Dublin Citizens' Association. R.I.P. Funeral arrangements later.

PARKE—November 12, 1923, at "Ocean View," Strand Hill, William, fourth son of the late John R. Parke, Ballymena, aged 76.

ST. VINCENT'S HOSPITAL AND DISPENSARY.

The Anniversary Office and High Mass for the repose of the souls of the Founders and Benefactors of St. Vincent's Hospital will take place in the Church of St. Andrew, Westland Row, to-morrow (Thursday) morning, the 15th November, at 11 o'clock.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

Mrs. Michael J. Redmond (11 Eden Park, Dun Laoghaire), Masters, the Misses Redmond (Hastings ter., Sandycove), and Mr. and Mrs. Fegan Redmond (Abbeay Grove, Monkstown), return thanks to all those who sent letters, telegrams, and cards of sympathy in their sad loss.

IN MEMORIAM.

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COULTER—In loving memory of Elizabeth Cheekatts Coulter, who died November 14th, 1922.

JACKSON—In remembrance of Mary, who was called Home 14th November, 1922.—Bob and Sis.

JACKSON—In sad and loving memory of our dear mother, Mary Jackson, who entered into rest 14th November, 1922. Inserted by Walter and Charlie.

McRANN—In ever-present and loving memory of our dearly-loved F. J., whom God called Home November 13th, 1920, aged 6 years and 9 months.
Jesus wants me for a sunbeam
To shine for Him each day.

NEILL—Third Anniversary—In sad and loving memory of William Neill, who departed this life at 9 Cullenswood ters., Ranelagh, on the 14th November, 1920. Inserted by John and Bob.

TOMB—In loving memory of Sister I. M. Tomb, late of Elpis, Dublin, who passed away 14th November, 1922. "And with the morn those angel-faces smile."

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And take further Notice that after the said 15th day of December, 1923, the said Executors will distribute the assets of the said Deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which particulars shall have been given as above required.
Dated this 1st day of November 1923.
W. J. M. COULTER Solicitor for the said Executors, 200 Great Brunswick street, Dublin.

IN THE GOODS OF JAMES DALTON, late of Coraghbrack, Dousden, Co. Kildare, Farmer.
Take Notice that on the expiration of eight days I shall apply to the proper Officer of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice in Saorstat Eireann for probate of the Will of above Deceased, who died on 30th June, 1923, on behalf of Richard Smith, the sole Executor mentioned in said Will, unless a Caveat has been entered within the aforesaid eight days.
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All persons having claims against the estate of the Deceased, who died at 41 Fitzwilliam place, aforesaid, on the 15th September, 1923, are requested to send particulars of their claims to the undersigned Solicitor for Mrs. Catherine Powell, widow of Deceased, and Henry J. Monahan, of Stillorgan Park, Dublin, B.L., the Executors of Deceased, not later than 15th December, 1923, after which date the Executors will proceed to administer the estate of Deceased, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall then have been received.
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182 Vaughan, Miss M. G.	3353
97 Jackson, Miss F.	3346
215 Rowe, Miss Elizabeth H.	3146
164 Smart, Miss M. I.	3038
54 Rowe, Miss Hannah E.	2978
138 Tremayne, Miss H. H. J.	2915
169 Shanks, Miss M. D.	2902
152 Spearing, Miss E.	2753
65 Moffatt, Miss S. M.	2717
70 Burt, Mrs. R.	2707
74 Worters, Miss M. E.	2701
167 Adams, Miss M. S.	2693
44 MacNeave, Miss I. J. B.	2692
73 Wilson, Mrs. E. J.	2678
30 Poskitt, Miss L.	2658
120 Field, Miss R.	2656
129 Auber, Miss S. A.	2649
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58 Threlfall, Mrs. H. E. S.; 196 Skelton, Miss M. E.; Lister, Miss C. F.
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SPECIAL ADDRESS
BY
MR. DANIEL SWAMIDOSS, B.A.,
Rural Secretary, Y.M.C.A., India.
Mr. Swamidoss will tell his Life Story and give a description of the work in India.
NEXT FRIDAY, 16th INST.,
CONVENTION MEETINGS,
4.30 and 8 p.m.
Special Speaker:
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"The Battlefield of the Cross and the Crescent." The Wonderful Story of N. Africa.
EVERYBODY WELCOME AT THESE MEETINGS
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COLLEGE CLASSICAL SOCIETY.
THE OPENING MEETING
OF THE 18th SESSION
Will be held in
THE BRUNSWICK HALL,
GRADUATES' MEMORIAL BUILDING,
On FRIDAY, 16th NOVEMBER, 1923,
At Eight o'clock p.m.
THE PRESIDENT,
Dr. LOUIS CLAUDE PURSER, S.F.T.C.D.,
In the Chair.
Mr. S. G. OWEN, M.A.,
Student of Christ Church, Oxford,
Will Read a Paper on
SOME RECENT CRITICISMS OF JUVENAL.
Speakers:
Mr. W. H. PORTER, M.A., ex-Auditor,
Lecturer in Classics, University College, Cork.
THE AUDITOR, Mr. E. C. MICKS (Sen. Mod.), B.A., LL.B.
This Meeting is Open to the Public.
A. D. PRINGLE (Sch.), Hon. Sec.

A PRAYER CONFERENCE
WILL BE HELD IN
BRUNSWICK HALL
(BRUNSWICK STREET),
FROM NOVEMBER 18th to 20th.
Speaker:
MR. J. C. WILLIAMS (of Brockston Hall), London.
THE OPENING MEETING
Will be held
On MONDAY, 26th, at 8 p.m.
MEETINGS ON TUESDAY TO FRIDAY,
At 4.30 and 8 p.m.
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JOHN BAGWELL, General Manager.
Dublin, 12th November, 1923.

THE NATIONAL UNIVERSITY OF IRELAND.
REGISTRARSHIP OF THE UNIVERSITY.
The Senate of the National University of Ireland invites application for the Registrarship of the University. Salary, £800 per annum, rising by yearly increments of £25 to £900 per annum. No bonus is attached to this salary. A pension scheme will be fixed by the Senate after the appointment.
All applications must reach me not later than January 1st, 1924.
FRED. H. WIBER, Acting Registrar.
November 14th, 1923.
49 Merrion square, Dublin. K.A.A.

Sinn Féin
HUNGER-STRIKE.
To-Morrow (Thursday), 15th November, 1923
Torchlight Procession through City from Foster Place at 7.30 p.m. sharp.
MEETING AFTERWARDS.
All Sinn Fein Clubs are ordered to attend.
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CONTRACTS, 1924.
The Directors of the Great Southern and Western Railway Company are prepared to receive Tenders for the supply of the undermentioned Stores for three months commencing 1st January, 1924, and alternatively for six months commencing the same date.

	No. of Form.		No. of Form.
Acid, Sulphuric	3b	Grates, Stoves	24
Asbestos Sheeting, etc.	40	Grindstones	28
Baskets	10	Glass, Sheet and Plate	27a
Bolts, Nuts, & Rivets	15	Glass and China Sundries	27b
Brooms and Brushes	13	Hardware (Sundry)	17
Brass Fittings for Carriages	18	Indiarubber Goods	9a
Brass Fittings for Water	26i	Implements, Sundry	21
Brass Fittings for Gas	26g	Iron Tubes and Fittings	29
Canvas & Sacks	6	Leather and Leather Goods	12
Canvas for Wagon Turpaulins	6i	Locks and Keys	19
Castings, Mall, Iron	11	Mats, Fibre	10
Carriage Laces	7a	Nails	31
Cloth for Carriages	7c	Packings	40
Clothing, I. R., proofed	9a	Plumbago	41
Coach Screws and Washers	15	Rain Water Pipes & Gutters	25
Colours	2	Ropes, Twine, and Flax	4
Corks	39	Soaps	3c
Cotton Waste	5i	Sewer Pipes, Plaster of Paris, etc.	32
Crucibles	41	Shovels, Spades, &c.	21a
Drysalteries	3	Sponge Cloths	5
Emery and Glass Cloth, etc.	28	Signal Wire Pulleys	11
Files & Tool Steel	20	Screws & Split Pins	14
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Foundry Requisites	42	Waste	5i
Galvanised Sheets, Buckets, etc.	23	Waterproof Clothing	9a
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		Wire, Fence and Signal	30a
		Wirework	30b

Patterns may be inspected at the General Stores Department on and after the 16th inst., between the hours of 10.0 a.m. and 4.0 p.m. (except on Saturdays).
Tenders must be enclosed in the special envelope supplied for the purpose with each Schedule, and must be posted so as to be in the hands of the undersigned before 10.0 a.m. on Wednesday, 28th November, 1923.
The Directors will not consider any Tender unless it is furnished on the Company's Form, and do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any Tender.
By Order,
C. E. RILEY, Secretary.
Kingsbridge Terminus, Dublin,
November, 1923.

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Duty Free. Carriage extra.
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Delivery from Stock.

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A.C. Car for Sale, two seater, 10 h.p., C.A.V. lighting, perfect order. Can be seen near No. 7, North Great George's street. 10 D

ANGUS-SANDERSON 1924 4 Seater, electric light, starter, hood, back screen, first class condition; seen by appointment; price £320.—O 912, this office. 12 E

BUICK, five cylinder, slightly shop soiled, reduced price.—M. and J. Dawson, Maynooth. 10 D

CROSSLEY 26/30, 1922 Two Seater Sports 1921 type 9 T., not done 500 miles; self starter, electric lighting, two spare wheels; perfect; any trial.—Buckley, Talbot place. 9

CITROEN, two seaters and four seaters, delivery from stock.—M. and J. Dawson, Maynooth. 10 D

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CHEVROLET Car for Sale, five months old, in perfect order. Can be seen at Mrs. Reid's, Cabra Farm, any time. 13 F

DAIMLER and Renault Landaulettes for sale.—Poole, "Old Carrier" Agents, 94-96 Mid. Abbey street, Dublin. 10 C

DAIMLER Landaulette, 16 h.p.; good condition. Apply at Poole and Co., Middle Abbey street, Dublin. 10 D

FOR Sale, 1921 Ford, special three-quarter Landaulette, self starter, Michelin disc wheels, and Hassler shock absorbers, in perfect order.—McGee's Garage, Drogheda.

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FORD, 1923 Model Fordor 5 Seater, only run 6,000 miles; Overland 5 Seater recently overhauled, both owner driven; also two Ford Touring and eight horse Ariel Combination; all fully equipped and in perfect order.—Conlan's Garage, Lower Clanbrassil street. 10 C

FOR Sale, 2 Unic Long Chassis Landaulettes, year 1914, 12-16 h.p., in capital condition; may be seen working every day; any offers.—Miller, 81 Brunswick street, N.—Manchester, Stanley 9

FOR Sale, 4 seater Motor, good order, cheap to immediate purchaser.—O 933, this office. 12 E

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FOR Sale, 14 h.p. Renault Landaulette, perfect running order, cheap; seen by appointment.—O 1070, this office. 13 F

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WANTED, Chauffeur, R.C., generally useful, light work; drive Buick car; married, no family preferred; send copies of references; terms on interview.—Mrs. Shaw, La Mancha, Mullingar. 13 D

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LOST AND FOUND.

LOST, Friday night, Brown Cocker Pup; police notified.—West Pier Lighthouse, Kingstown. 12 C

LOST, Leather Pocketbook, containing 15 notes, different numbers; reward.—O 1076, this office.

LOST, Sandpiper, Sea road, Friday, 9th inst., Gentleman's Grey Fur Lined Glove; reward.—O 1072, this office.

LOST, Tuesday, about 3.30, between George's st. and Gloucan's, Camden st., Black Bag containing about £17 Notes, numbers known. Reward, 49 Kenilworth square.

LOST, Pearl Brooch, Donnybrook or Shankill, Sunday. Reward, 6 Seaview terrace, Donnybrook.

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UNIVERSITY OF MADRAS.
APPOINTMENT OF REGISTRAR.

Applications are invited for the post of Registrar of the University. The appointment will be in the first instance for a term of 5 years from, or about, the end of April, 1924, on a salary of Rs.600 per mensem, rising by annual increments of Rs.50 per mensem to Rs.800. The successful applicant will be appointed under a written contract, in which the conditions of service, including leave, resignation of appointment, etc., will be defined. He will be eligible for reappointment at the end of the first term of office on such conditions of service as may hereafter be prescribed by Statutes and Ordinances to be framed under the Madras University Act, 1923.

The Registrar will be required to devote his whole time to the duties of his office, and not to absent himself from his duties without the permission of the Syndicate.

Section III. of the Madras University Act, 1923, provides that—

"The Registrar shall act as the Secretary of the Senate, the Syndicate, the Academic Council, and the Faculties, and of Committees of the Senate, shall submit to the senate or the Syndicate, manage the property and investments of the University. He shall be responsible for the preparation of the financial estimates and the annual accounts. Subject to the powers of the Syndicate, he shall be responsible for seeing that contracts are executed on the purpose for which they are granted or entered into.

"All contracts shall be signed by the Registrar on behalf of the University. He shall exercise such other powers and perform such duties as may be prescribed by Statutes.

Applications from candidates for appointment should reach the Vice-Chancellor not later than Tuesday, the 15th January, 1924.

By Order,
FRANCIS DEWSBURY, B.A., LL.B.,
Registrar.

Senate House, Madras,
25th October, 1923.

A BANDON Unemployment.—Caravan for Irish Workers; price £65. Secretary, Atlantis Colleges, 40 Parnell square, Dublin. T

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MORRIS Cowley four seater, delivery from stock.—M. and J. Dawson, Maynooth. 10 D

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PEUGEOT 11 h.p., 1923 model, front wheel brakes, as new; list price £420, accept £275. Seen Thomson's, Shaw street, Dublin. 9 C

ROVER 1923 8 h.p. De Luxe Model Three Seater, 4 b. self starting and lighting, clock, speedometer, perfect condition, Insurance and tax paid, £180.—R. W. Archer and Co., 65 Lower Mount street. 12 C

SCRIPPS Booth for Sale, £50. Seen Crampton's Garage, Merrion Row. T

TWO Seater Belsize for Sale. Seen O'Connell's Garage, 33 Fitzwilliam square. 13 F

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"A1"—All the latest from Olympia. 1924 Models—Sunbeam, New Imperial, F. and M., Diamond, etc., will be on view shortly. Meantime come and see the bargains we are offering in Shopsoiled and Secondhand Machines.—Wayte Bros., Ltd., Lemon st. T

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FOR Sale, 1921 6 h.p. Martinsyde (O.H.V.) Motor Cycle and Sidecar; like new; fitted with 2 and in perfect condition; price £85.—Duthie, Largo, and Co., Ltd., Athy. 11 C

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WANTED, experienced Packer and Sorter; must be experienced; reference required.—Dwarkin Laundry, Ballsbridge. 13 D

WANTED, young Lady as Shorthand Typist; must have some experience; Protestant. Address "Z 2554, Typist," this office. 13 F

WANTED, Protestant Mother's Help, small family; no maid kept. Address, stating age, salary, and send copy references, "Z 2566, Mother's Help," this office. 13 D

WHAT would you like in a Christmas Hamper? Make out a list and send it to the Christmas Number Competition, announced in the "Weekly Irish Times." F

WANTED, Useful Help; educated farmer's daughter might suit; R.C.; music, needlewoman; state age, salary expected; copies testimonials. Address "Z 2564, Help," this office. 13 D

YOUNG Girls Wanted as Probationer Nurses at 41 House at Hospital. Apply the Matron.

YOUNG Lady, Invoice Clerk, Wanted at once, age about 18; knowledge of shorthand and typing essential. Apply O 1054, this office. 13 D

MONEY, PARTNERSHIPS, ETC.

AN educated R.C. Lady with good capital wants to join with another lady with capital in taking a House and running it as a Private Hotel in Dublin or suburbs after Xmas. Address "Z 2556, Lady," this office.

MEDICAL CONTINUED.

WANTED by City Visiting Society, with membership of 120, the services of Doctor, to give advice to members and families, with medicine; state terms and qualifications. Address "Z 2516, Doctor," this office. 12 E

YOUNG Lady, apprenticeship served, desires situation as Assistant to Pharmaceutical Chemist in city; well recommended; excellent dispenser. Address "Z 2410, Assistant," this office. 8 F

TUITIONS AND SCHOLARSHIPS.

ALL Professional and University Prelims., Oral and Correspondence. Success 1st free.—McGUIRE'S COLLEGE, Sackville street, Dublin. T

ALL Languages by the most successful method ever devised.—Berlitz School, 4 Grafton street. 9 C

ACADEMIC Oral and Correspondence Tuition; Matriculation, Entrance, Solicitors', Surgeons', Pharmaceutical Preliminaries; unlimited individual attention; success guaranteed.—Ormonde Academy, Rathmines. 11 D

DANCING—Private Lessons, anytime, classes nightly.—Prof. Mrs. Graham, 35 George's street. 16 29

DISENGAGED, young, experienced Nursery Governess, Catholic; music; needlewoman.—Wild's Agency, Marlfield, Clonmel. 12 E

EXPERIENCED R.C. Governess wishes engagement; teaches English, French, music, sewing; highest references; Dublin preferred. Address "Z 2546, Governess," this office.

LADIES! How do you spend your money? Cash prizes offered for an answer in the "Weekly Irish Times." F

MADAME Rock, L.S.D.P.—Children's Classes, Wednesday and Saturday, 4 p.m.; Adults', Wednesday, Thursday, and Saturday, 8 p.m.—40 Upper O'Connell street. 'Phone 4125. T

NURSERY Governess, R.C., disengaged; naval subjects, kindergarten, needlework. Address "Z 2559, Governess," this office. 13 F

SHORTHAND, Typewriting, Bookkeeping, etc.—Metropolitan College (Gilhespie's), 3100 Lower Mount st. 'Phone, 3055.

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TUITION Required, country town; first class lady teacher (L.O.); English, French, music. Address "Z 2505, Tuition," this office. 12 C

TEACHER, trained, R.C., desires post, Governess or Companion; references; small salary.—Address "Z 2524, Teacher," this office. 12 E

TRAVELLED Lady gives Lessons in French, German, Italian; moderate.—B O 826, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines.

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WILL your good looks help you? A Christmas Masquerade? Make out a list and send it to the Christmas Number Competition, announced in the "Weekly Irish Times." F

GOVERNESSES AND TUTORS WANTED.

AGENT FOR GOVERNESSES AND SCHOOLS. Miss Bellingham Todd, 5 Grafton street, Dublin. Advises Parents and Managers. Tel. No. 5258. T

CITY Choir requires Conductor two evenings per week, for practice each evening; terms, qualifications.—O 1000, this office. 13 D

EXPERIENCED Nursery Governess for boy of 7½ years Wanted; Kindergarten; experience of children's needlework. Apply Mrs. Thompson, "Piney Ridge," Malone road, Belfast 9 C

LITREADING—Advertiser asks anyone who Teaches Literature to forward all details to "Z 2449, Litreading," this office. 12 X

PORTORA—Wanted next January, Senior English and French Master; Honours Degree and experience necessary; salary £200, resident, advancing by annual increments to £450 or £500. Apply, giving qualifications and references, to Head Master, Portora, Enniskillen.

PIANO Lessons Wanted, South side, Saturday evenings; some knowledge already.—O 1078, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines.

WANTED, near Dublin, experienced Nursery Governess; four children (girls), two attend day school; some lessons; good needlewoman essential.—O 1011, this office.

WANTED, Nursery Governess, R.C.; good teacher; fond of country life; salary about £20 to £25. Address "Z 2574, Governess," this office. 13 F

EMPLOYMENT WANTED.

A YOUNG Girl, recently left school, desires position as Shorthand Typist, speed 120 words; well recommended.—O 820, this office. 11 D

A PROTESTANT Lady seeks position trust; business capabilities.—O 1075, this office. 13 D

CLERK, good all round experience, disengaged; city.—Address "Z 2517, Clerk," this office. 12 C

CARETAKER, bank, offices, flats; married, no family; excellent references.—O 1044, this office. 13 D

DRESSMAKER, experienced, wants Work, ladies' houses; Ladies' Costumes, Children's.—O 689, this office. 9 C

DYE Works or Laundry Receiving Office—Young Lady desires engagement.—O 1071, this office. 13 D

DUBLIN Chartered Accountant can recommend reliable Man for City Office, or to act as Superintendent in Warehouse.—O 907, this office. 12 E

EX-SERGEANT, R.I.C., age 35, R.C., desires position as Clerk, or any position of trust; experienced; references and security.—O 905, this office. 12 E

EXAMY No. 2 married, seeks position as Door Keeper, Hall Porter, or any Position of Trust; good references.—O 1049, this office.

EXPERIENCED Daily Help disengaged; good cook; highest references.—B O 823, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines.

GENTLEMAN seeks employment, garden or farm; comfortable home greater consideration than salary; interview Dublin.—Address "Z 2475, Gentleman," this office. 9 C

GERMAN, Lithographic Artist, lived in England, seeks post, Commercial or Schools.—O 1057, this office.

HOUSEKEEPER, R.C., well educated, good references, wishes employment, clerical or otherwise, town or country. Reply O 919, this office. 12 E

PROTESTANT Lady Housekeeper wishes post; middle age; experienced; thoroughly capable; full charge; excellent testimonials; references exchanged; understands cooking, supervision servants; kind, useful in illness. Address "Z 2557, Housekeeper," this office. 13 F

RESPECTABLE Boy wishes to be Apprenticed to Tobacco Business; security if required.—O 787, this office. 10 D

R., pensioner, 30 years, seeks position Storekeeper or any position of trust.—O 1033, this office.

SHORTHAND Typist and Comptometer Operator desires position in city office; five years' experience.—O 906, this office. 12 E

SHORTHAND Typist—Thoroughly efficient Girl, some experience, desires position; excellent references.—O 1059, this office. 13 D

SEED Trade—Assistant for season; qualified all branches; highest reference.—O 1012, this office. 13 D

THE Parents of respectable Boy wish to Apprentice him to the Motor Engineering.—O 1038, this office.

THE Parents of Youth wish to Apprentice him Drapery, Boot Department; fee given. Address "Z 2550," this office. 13 F

WOMAN, I.C., wants Sewing and Darning; recommended.—The "Elm," Ranelagh.

YOUNG Man, having seven years' experience of the General Hardware, Seeds Machinery, and Grocery Business, wishes position as charge; religion I.C. Address "Z 2501, Charge," this office. 11 D

YOUNG Girl leaving college desires junior position as Shorthand Typist; city office; highest reference.—O 909, this office. 12 C

YOUNG Girl desires position Junior Typist in City Office; highly recommended; small salary.—O 1041, this office. 13 D

MALE SERVANTS WANTED.

KENNEL Man Wanted, single, to feed and exercise a pack of harriers and help in stable; send copy of last two discharges and state wages. Address "Z 2483, Man," this office. 10 D

TRAPPERS—Wanted, two first class Men; large stock; good terms.—O 1042, this office. 13 D

WANTED, Yard and General Man; Wife to take charge of dairy; must be a good milker and butter maker, and thoroughly understand poultry and their care; must have very good references; good wages paid to suitable couple, with furnished house. Address "Z 2488, Man," this office. 10 D

WANTED, Yardman; married, no family; both good milkers; house, potatoes, milk, firing free; send copies references, stating wages.—O 961, this office. 12 E

WANTED, Indoor Man Servant; must have some experience; ex mess waiter or batman might suit; send copies discharges; Co. Dublin.—O 1003, this office. 13 F

STEWARDS AND GARDENERS WANTED.

WANTED, first class Kaffeman, well up in fruit, forest trees, roses and shrubs; capable of producing large quantities of first class stuff; able to execute orders and control labour. Apply, with references and wages expected, with botby, to Manager, Rogland road, Sligo. 9 C

WANTED, Landscape Foreman; must be thoroughly experienced, able to work from plans, with good knowledge of ornamental stuff, road construction, etc. Apply, stating age, and when disengaged, to Messrs. Wm. Power and Co., Waterford, Nurserymen and Seedmerchants. 11 F

WANTED immediately, respectable Protestant; Plain Gardener and Handy Man; able milk and rear cattle; good wages and cottage (country). Apply, with references, to Dickie, 13 High st., Omagh. 12 D

MALE SERVANTS DISENGAGED.

A MAN, can cook, wait table, or housework.—O 883, this office. 9 C

A GENTLEMAN highly recommends his Butler, single-handed; five years in present place; leaving only through break up of household.—O 1005, this office. 13 D

AN experienced Indoor Man Servant wishes situation; wages £18.—O 1104, this office. 13 D

DISENGAGED, Head General Farm Man; plough and sow; highest reference; indoor. Address "Z 2548, Herd," this office. 12 C

GROOM, life experience hunters, highly recommended, disengaged; state terms.—Groom, Abbeylands, Killiney Co. Dublin. T

GROOM or Coachman, General Man; understands G hunters, can motor; Wife good Cook, care dairy, poultry, or laundry work. Address "Z 2527, Man," this office. 13 D

GENERAL Man, married, wants situation, garden or G farm; good milker; highly recommended.—Delapre, Dunsilly Ave., Co. Kildare. 13 D

HERD, competent, or Head Yardman or Caretaker, disengaged; first class references from former employers; wife good milker, poultry, or housework required.—Address "Z 2454, Herd," this office. 9 C

LADY recommends highly, strong, respectable, well educated Boy, Face Boy, R.C., age 15, nice appearance.—O 959, this office.

MAN, thoroughly experienced, wants situation, Cars and Four and Trap, Milking; splendid references; handy himself generally useful.—O 790, this office. 10 D

MAN, single, wishes situation as Yard Man, indoor; understands all yard work; make himself generally useful; can be well recommended. Reply, Patrick Dunne, Kill Cottage, Rathangan, Co. Kildare.

MALE SERVANTS CONTINUED.

WANTED by married man, situation as Ploughman and General Man; good milker. Address "Z 2543, Man," this office. 13 F

YARD and General Man wants situation; married, one child; both good milkers; wages moderate; state terms; recommended. Address "Z 2547," this office. 13 F

STEWARDS AND GARDENERS DISENGAGED.

GARDENER (Head Working); thoroughly understands all the business all branches; long, satisfactory discharges; married, no family.—P., Messrs. Drummond, Dawson st. 9 C

GARDENER General Man, R.C., wants situation; good vegetable grower; milk, mind pony, trap, work off engine; state terms (indoor).—F. B., O'Toole's, Newsgarnt, Monntrath. 12 D

LAND Steward or similar position of trust Wanted by experienced Protestant young Man, T.T., single; highly recommended. Address "Z 2556, Steward," this office. 13 F

WORKING Gardener disengaged; understands his business in all branches.—Michael Brady, Starreenan, Dromheola. 11 D

WORKING Gardener, Protestant, married; good all round man, fruit, flowers, vegetables; state terms.—Gardener, High st., Wicklow. 13 D

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A WORKING Housekeeper Wanted immediately, Co. Dublin; two gentlemen; milk, kitchen, one cow, poultry; good reference required; state wages; would consider application of elderly married couple (no incumbrance), husband have fair knowledge of gardening, care pony; could wait husband's services for a month.—O 1054, this office.

BETWEEN MAID Wanted. Send copies of papers to Mrs. Hussey, Westown, Balbriggan.

WANTED, a young country Girl to help Lady with housework, small house, family two.—O 769, this office.

WORKING Housekeeper required; must be a good cook. Replies to state experience and salary expected to O 898, this office. 12 E

WANTED for Colwyn, Wales, Protestant Help for small family; good wages. Bring references after 2 o'clock, 5 Kenilworth road, Rathgar. 12 E

WANTED, strong Maid. Apply Mrs. Goldfarb, 56 Grosvenor square, Rathmines. 12 C

WANTED, young Girl Help, small house, 15 minutes of city; little washing and scrubbing, plain cooking; wages £16.—O 1050, this office.

WANTED, smart, respectable Woman for daily work, £2.5.0; must be clean, and well recommended; good washer; Rathgar; 10/- weekly.—O 1065, this office.

WANTED, experienced Cook General and H. P'maid, suburbs.—Blackwood's, 41 Lower Mount st.

VACANCIES FOR SERVANTS.

There are many Vacancies in the REGISTRY of the "IRISH TIMES" for all classes of Trained and Untrained Servants. Good wages offered. No fee charged. MATRON can recommend comfortable Homes where Servants can stay while waiting for situations. T

COOKS AND DAIRYMAIDS WANTED.

COOK General Wanted for one gentleman, Western town. Address "Z 2455, Cook General," this office.

COOK General wanted for Merrion district; House Parlourmaid kept; some washing.—O 868, this office. F

WANTED, in a provincial school, a good Plain Cook. Address at once, stating salary and enclosing references, to "Z 2538, Cook," this office.

WANTED immediately, good Cook; well recommended; wages £35; copies discharges.—Mrs Wilson, Dularcy, Ravensdale, Dundalk.

WANTED, good young Cook, good Kitchenmaid and baking; first place, middle class; must be good wash; small dairy, Wolseley separator.—Holland, The Grove, Balrath, Co. Meath. 10 D

WANTED, good Plain Cook; kitchenmaid kept; 16 Anglesea road; early state age, wages; good references essential.—Winter, Killucan, Westmeath. 12 E

WANTED for country Cook General, House Parlourmaid and Nurse. Address "Z 2561, Cook," this office. 13 F

WANTED for country Rectory, Cook General and House Parlourmaid; state terms and references.—O 1045, this office. 13 D

WANTED, good Cook General; very small washing. Apply 4 Harrington street.

WANTED, Cook General; country girl preferred; three in family; good wages. Bring references after 2 o'clock, 5 Kenilworth road, Rathgar. 12 E

WANTED, experienced Cook General and House Parlourmaid, ages from 35 to 40 for quiet country house; send copies references and terms.—Address "Z 2560, Cook," this office. 13 E

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A MAGNIFICENT young Shorthorn Bull (1¼ years), out of champion cow that gave the record yield of 2,400 gallons in last lactation period; offers considered.—C 1023, this office. 13 X

A. A. 2 year old Bull, £30; 20 splendid A.A. Cross Calves, £120.—Hewson, Listowel. 4 X

BLACK Polled Angus Calf, few days old.—Turbett, Owenstown, Dundrum.

FERRETS—Clean, healthy, good working Ferrets, 9/- each, 3 for 25/-; carriage paid.—W. Readwin, 14 Bevington Bush, Liverpool. 12 4

FOR Sale, a small lot of old common Bullocks, good for winter keep; lowest price £7 10/- each. Address "Z 2457, Bullocks," this office. 9 D

FOR Sale, some Kerry Cows near calving, also a few Kerry Heifers calving next spring. Address "Z 2458, Cows," this office. 9 D

FOR Sale, at a very reasonable price, 10 one year old Coloured Heifers, promising, big and well shaped. Address "Z 2459, Cattle," this office. 9 D

FOR Sale, Crossbred Friesian Yearling Bull, strong and promising, licensed; offers invited. Address "Z 2504, Cattle," this office. 12 E

GENTLEMAN Farmer, 30 years' experience, attending all West of Ireland fairs, would Purchase or Sell Sheep or Cattle on Commission. Address "Z 2506, Farmer," this office. 12 C

IRISH Goat Society, now Selling beautiful young Anglo-Nubian Stud Goats, £2, carriage paid. Particulars, Saunders, Trillick. 9 C

LAMBS—55 good Horney Wethers for Sale, £1 each, or Grazing (winterage) for same required.—George Lyons, Maamcross, Connemara. 7 10

LARGE York Sow for Sale; due to farrow 17th inst., second litter; price £8. Apply James Kennedy, Hazlehatch. 11 D

PURE Bred Blue Beverens, good strain; terms moderate.—38 Leinster road, Dublin. 13 F

DOGS.

AIREDALE Puppies for Sale, 8 weeks old, by well known winner, Major Pat, ex Rathbetty (registered I.K.C.); dogs 6 guineas, bitches £4 4/-; full pedigree stamped envelope.—Gray, Rath, Dundalk. 9 C

AIREDALE, female, young, splendid specimen; Wanted, extra kind home.—C 943, this office. 12 C

AIREDALE, full sister Judicious Cracksman, excellent mother, for Sale; reasonable.—C 850, this office. 12 E

AIREDALE Bitch, five years; given to good country home on breeding terms; quiet, good companion and watch. Kerry Blue Bitch, six months, by Reg Tailteann, ex Sally Dhas; both winners, game certificates; beautiful colour and very game; seven guineas. Apply letter.—Hanna, 83 Pembroke road, Dublin. 13 F

BEAUTIFUL Sable pedigree Pekingese Bitch, quiet, perfect for breeding or pet, 2½ years; cheap, £5.—C 893, this office. 12 C

COCKER Pups, very well bred, Male 15/-, Female 10/-; two months old.—Rectory, Cootehill.

DISPOSAL of Kennel of Toy Yorkshire Terriers, Maltese Poodles, Pekingese, and Kerry Blue (Female), all pure bred.—Kelly, 9 Belvidere place. 11 D

GREAT Danes, magnificent puppies, five months, sire big winner. Particulars Tyrrell, Drumconnick, Cavan. 10 E

IRISH Terrier, Male, 5 months, by the well known champion Bloomfield Refugee.—O'Reilly, Grosvenor Gardens, Mount Drummond avenue, Harold's Cross. 12 C

KERRY Blue Pups, 9 weeks old. Address "Z 2538, Dogs," this office.

PEKINGESE Puppies for Sale, cheap.—Miss Hazleton, Ivy Bank, Blackrock. Tel. 203. 13 F

PEKINGESE Puppies for Sale, great beauties, champion breed, one male, two females, sire celebrated winner.—Miss Fry, 25 Grosvenor place. 13 F

RED Setter Bitch, cheap for good home; also Puppies, pedigree. Address "Z 2491, Dogs," this office. 10 D

SEALYHAM Puppies for Sale, six weeks old, £3 each. Brooklawn, Stradbrook, Blackrock. 12 C

SELLING, highly bred trained Cocker Spaniel; stamp reply.—Murphy, 1 Fairview terrace, Bray.

TEN well bred Kerry Blue Puppies for Sale; would prefer to sell in one lot; no time to deal with several people. Address "Z 2529, Dogs," this office.

TEN shillings offered for Male Puppy, Terrier, Schipperke, pure or crossbred. Address "Z 2572, Puppy," this office. 13 D

THE "Irish Field" is the official organ of the I.K.C., and contains exclusive kennel news. Best reports of shows. Price 2d. Every Saturday. T

WANTED, Scotch or Sealyham Puppy; cheap; pedigree.—Stevens, Beaufort, Rathfarnham. 9 C

WANTED, Home, little Cocker Terrier, young, viceless. Address "Z 2492, Dog," this office. 10 D

WANTED when required, Service of Pedigree Irish Water Spaniel Dog.—Sim, Newtownbarry. 12 E

WHIPPET Bitch, pure bred, two years, trained; very fast.—"D.," Wilde's Office, Bray. 13 D

WANTED, Chocolate Pomeranian Pup, male, young; state price and where seen.—C 1087, this office. 13 F

WELL Bred Kerry Blue Puppies for Sale; cheap; particulars. Address "Z 2528 Dogs," this office.

PREMISES, LANDS, ETC.

AT 26 Westland Row—Half Garage to Let. 9 C

AT Fairview Strand—Shop, with Residence over, very large yard; possession; low rent; long lease.—Barron and Son, Auctioneers, 13 Lower Ormond quay. 13 F

BAKEHOUSE and Living Apartments Wanted to Rent, steam or side flue oven, in good town, moderate.—C 1027, this office.

BALLYBOUGH—Let or Sell, good Yard, Stabling or Dairy, Cottage Residence.—Barron and Son, Auctioneers. 13 F

BELFAST—To Let, Shop, Showrooms, and Stores, central. Apply Sam. Cochrane, 112 North st., Belfast. 13 F

DRY, airy Store and Loft to Let. Apply 21 Herbert street. 13 F

FACTORIES for Sale, best part of city, £650 and £12,000.—Barron and Son, Auctioneers. 13 F

GARAGE to Let, rear 62 Grosvenor road; £12 yearly; seen any time. 9 C

GARAGE to Let. Apply 35 Morehampton road, mornings; water supply.

GARAGES (suitable for), in different parts city.—Barron and Son, Auctioneers. 13 F

HALL for Hire, in centre of city, with seating accommodation for 400; well back from street, no noise; suitable for shareholders' meetings, whist drives, etc. Apply to Secretary or Manager, 42 Upper O'Connell st. 13 F

LICENSED Premises—City, £4,500, £6,500, £7,500; country, £900, £2,500; Spirit Grocery, £2,500 to £4,500.—Barron and Son, Auctioneers, 13 Lower Ormond quay. 13 F

STABLE or Store Wanted; Metal Bridge vicinity.—C 953, this office. 12 C

SHOP, with Dwellinghouse, to Let on Rathmines road. Apply North Kerry Manufacturing Co., Ardee road, Rathmines. 12 E

SHOP and Basement to Let, 13 Parliament st.; about 60 feet long, newly done up, fitted with glass cases, lockers, shelves, counter, enclosed window and electric light. Apply 35 Upper Ormond quay. 12 A

STORE or Business purposes—Basement to Let; electric light.—3 Harcourt st. 13 F

TO Let, spacious Garage, fully equipped with all modern machinery, in good business town in the Midlands. Address "Z 2540, Garage," this office. 13 B

TO Trappers, Stewards, and Estate Owners—Wanted, supplies fresh, clean trapped Rabbits. Highest prices guaranteed, Irish trade references. Prompt settlements, Hampers supplied.—Fred. Blackburn, Wholesale Market, Dewsbury.

WANTED immediately, Farm and medium Residence, 60 to 80 acres, South County Dublin.—C 964, this office. 12 E

WANTED, Workshop or Vacant Ground, South side; state reqt. space.—C 1045, this office. 13 F

WANTED, Shop and House; would Buy good Going Concern or Purchase Property.—C 1090, this office.

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MINISTERS BILL.

HOW DEPARTMENTS ARE ALLOCATED.

We published yesterday a summary of the main provisions of the Ministers and Secretaries Bill, which will come up for second reading before the Dail to-day. There is, as has been mentioned, a schedule to the bill, which sets forth the particular branches of administration assigned to each Minister, as follows:—

1st—The Minister for Finance.—The business and functions formerly administered and discharged by the British Treasury in Ireland:—The Revenue Commissioners, the Paymaster-General, the Government Actuary, the Commissioners of Public Works in Ireland, the Civil Service Commission, the Commissioner of Valuation and Boundary Survey for Ireland, the Teachers' Pension Office, the Stationery Office, the Old Age Pensions, save as regards appeals governed by Statute; the Post Office Savings Bank (administered through the Minister for Posts and Telegraphs as agent), the Registrar of Friendly Societies.

2nd—The Minister for Justice—All Courts of Justice and the Offices thereof, save in so far as the same are reserved to the Executive Council or are excepted from the authority of the Executive Council or of an Executive Minister; Police, the General Prisons Board for Ireland and all Prisons, the Registrar of Petty Sessions Clerks, the Public Record Office, the Registry of Deeds, the Land Registry (Registry of Titles), the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests.

3rd—The Minister for Local Government and Public Health.—The Local Government Board for Ireland, the Inspectors of Lunatic Asylums in Ireland, National Health Insurance Commission, the Registrar-General of Births, Deaths and Marriages; Roads Department (formerly Ministry of Transport), Clerk of the Crown and Hanaper so far as concerned with Elections, Central Nursing Board and Midwives Board.

4th—The Minister for Education.—The Commissioners of National Education in Ireland, the Intermediate Education Board for Ireland, the Commissioners of Education in Ireland (Endowed Schools), the Inspector of Reformatory and Industrial Schools, the Department of Agriculture and Technical Instruction for Ireland (business and functions relating to Technical Instruction only), the College of Science, the Geological Survey in Ireland, the National Museum, the National Library.

5th—The Minister for Lands and Agriculture.—The Irish Land Commission (including the late Congested Districts Board for Ireland—Agricultural and Land Branches), the Department of Agriculture and Technical Instruction for Ireland (except the business and functions relating to Fisheries and Technical Instruction), the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries so far as concerned with the Ordnance Survey, the Ordnance Survey, the College of Veterinary Science, the Public Trustee in Ireland, the Forestry Commission, Farm Institutes of or controlled by Government.

6th—The Minister for Industry and Commerce.—Ministry of Transport (excluding the Roads Department), the Board of Trade, Registrar of Joint Stock Companies, Registration of Business Names, Registration of Shipping, Minister for Labour, Electricity Commissioners, Chief Inspector of Factories.

7th—The Minister for Fisheries.—Department of Agriculture and Technical Instruction for Ireland—Fisheries Branch; Congested Districts Board for Ireland—Fisheries Branch and Rural Industries Branch; the Conservators of Fisheries.

8th—The Minister for Posts and Telegraphs.—Postmaster-General.

9th—Particular Services assigned to an Priomh-Aithne (the Attorney-General).—Chief Crown Solicitor for Ireland, Chief State Solicitor's Department and all local State Solicitors, Treasury Solicitor for Ireland, Parliamentary Draftsman, Charities, estates of illegitimate deceased persons.

IRISH ARCHITECTS.

PROBLEMS OF HOUSING AND RECONSTRUCTION.

At the opening meeting of the twenty-seventh session of the Architectural Association of Ireland at 15 South Frederick lane, Dublin, last night, the President, Mr. T. J. Byrne, A.R.I.B.A., in the course of his inaugural address, said he believed that the Association had good reason for self-congratulation, for, despite the conditions militating against it in the recent past, all the ingredients of success and real prosperity remained within it, and were available to all its members.

There was much danger, he said, that in the buildings of to-day and to-morrow, not only the best of trade traditions, but even the rudiments of honest architecture, might be forgotten or neglected. He pleaded, therefore, for earnest thought from all concerned in reconstruction in all operations of repair, rebuilding, and refitting.

He urged the need for more sustained effort towards housing, especially in the direction of cost reduction. Such reductions must occur, as without them there could be no real amelioration of the existing defective conditions, no attempt to make up the shortage of dwellings, and no steps taken to keep pace with the ever-growing vital needs of the community. He need hardly draw attention to the beneficial effects that would follow general reductions in building costs

In order to show that a downward tendency in the cost of building small houses had appeared, he instances that fair-sized five-roomed parlour houses had recently been contracted for at less than £600 in the city, and that smaller houses for country conditions, containing four apartments, were being built at prices between £350 and £380.

Mr. Byrne then referred to some of the outstanding features of Swedish architecture, as observed by him during a recent visit to Sweden. At Stockholm national characteristics were splendidly exemplified in a magnificent municipal palace, which was emblematic of the people, their history, and their aspirations. It was to be hoped that such buildings would soon arise in our own cities, to display to the world, in the dignified manner peculiar to architecture, the achievements and aspirations of the Irish people.

A vote of thanks to the President was passed, on the motion of Mr. O'Rourke, City Architect, seconded by Mr. Lucius O'Callaghan, R.H.A., ex-President.

M. Ricciotto Canudo, the novelist and poet, has died in Paris at the age of 45 after an illness which necessitated an operation. He was Italian by birth, but went to France in 1902 and made his home there.

The Seven Ages of Woman—No. 4.

WOMANHOOD

NOW she has joined that sedate company, the grown-ups. But she's just as fond of sweets as she used to be in her nursery days. Always she liked N.K.M. for its rich, real butter flavour. Nowadays, because there's even more butter in it, the flavour is better than ever, and having reached years of discretion she appreciates its absolute purity, too.

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PSEUDO-GAELICISM AND ITS FOLLY.

DISTORTED VIEWS IN NATION-BUILDING.

MR. BLYTHE AND THE LANGUAGE REVIVAL.

The opening meeting of the Trinity College Gaelic Society took place yesterday afternoon in the Regent House, Trinity College, Dublin. Professor T. F. O'Rahilly, M.A., President of the Society, who occupied the chair, opened the proceedings in Irish.

The Auditor, Mr. G. A. Duncan (Sch.), delivered an inaugural address on Pseudo-Gaelicism.

THE ADDRESS.

The Auditor, in the course of his address, said that they were now at the beginning of a section of their long voyage as a people, and three influences were seeking to impress their own characteristics and to direct the current of popular feeling. These groups had no connection with any political party, but were independent cross divisions, and their characteristics were reaction, progress and exclusion.

The first were weak in numbers, but strong in wealth and social influence, and kept their eyes ever turned longingly eastwards. The second group comprised the great mass of sane and intelligent people in the country, who did not always succeed in making their existence known, and who designed to advance by slow and safe degrees to an organisation of state and society in consonance with the peculiar needs and genius of the Irish people. The third party, for whom he had taken the liberty of coining the name pseudo-Gaels, did not form a very large element in the population, but their loud and aggressive tone gave the movement a fictitious weight and importance.

A FICTION AS AN IDEAL.

The pseudo-Gael had a distorted conception of the life and manners of the early Gael, and set up his fiction as the ideal to which national effort should be directed. Incomplete theories of the native Gael were eagerly snapped by the futile type of patriot, and false history supplied the food for his sentimentalism. They often saw unfortunate children dressed up in saffron kilts and cloaks. During the native monarchy, however, the ordinary dress of the Irishman consisted of a tunic, falling half way down the thigh, and close-fitting trousers. These garments were of the most varied colours, but there were only two instances of a yellow dye, and none whatever of the particular yellowish colour known as saffron.

Towards the end of the 16th century the kilt began to appear in the Highlands of Scotland, but did not make much headway until its adoption as the uniform of the Highland regiments in the British Army. The word "kilt" was of Danish origin, said the Auditor, while the word "trousers" was a direct derivative of the Irish word "triubhas."

Giraldus Cambrensis singled out the Irish harpers for especial praise, but bagpipers were probably not known at all till the 14th century, and the name was borrowed from Middle English, which was enough to show its foreign origin. The existing bellows form of pipes was of quite recent introduction, and from England, too.

Mr. Duncan denounced the jig and reel, and boldly asserted that "the real old Irish did not dance." He said that no writer of the native monarchy made any allusion that could be construed as a reference to dancing. So-called Gaelic football was a quite recent artificial production, but hurling had a sound ancestry, and of it, hockey was a derivation.

Pseudo-Gaelicism was directly contrary to a most ingrained national characteristic—the remarkable readiness with which the Celtic peoples assimilated a foreign culture superior to their own pseudo-Gaelicism, did not arouse any enthusiasm in the mass of the people. It was taken up by people who were sufficiently intelligent to be able to attract public attention, but had not enough intelligence to perceive the unsoundness of their own views. (Applause.)

MR. ERNEST BLYTHE.

Mr. Blythe, Minister for Finance, proposing a vote of thanks to the Auditor, said that he was not sure that he went all the way with the Auditor in his address. He thought that in attacking pseudo-Gaelicism he was flogging, if not a dead horse, at any rate a horse that had contracted an incurable disease.

Pseudo-Gaelicism arose in a period of apparent hopelessness so far as the future of Irish Nationalists was concerned. They were losing all their peculiar characteristics. The prospect seemed to be that before very long the people of Ireland would no more constitute a nation than the people of Yorkshire.

The desperate struggle to save the national heritage had been the root cause of pseudo-Gaelicism. There was a sort of feeling with some people that they ought to save something from the wreckage, with the result that they had attached quite a ridiculous importance to such things as dances and games, while others, who did not feel fit to do anything in the matter of the language, which was the essential, had turned their attention to other side-shows. They were now past that stage, when they had at their disposal the machinery that would enable them to preserve and revive the Irish language.

THE LANGUAGE NOT DEAD.

The Irish language had not died out. The roots were there and the plant could spring up again. It wanted only the political change which had taken place to bring that growth. He believed that when people realised that there was every chance of this plant growing much of the extravagance which had grown round the movement for the revival of the language would disappear.

None of them wanted to go back to the Stone Age. They wanted to build up this country, and would look back to the past to see how they could get some sort of symmetrical building constructed. There was no danger, to his mind, that they would have some sort of movement of exclusiveness which would delay or prevent progress. The people had now responsibility put upon them and had had many illusions shattered. They had been brought to a point where they must consider questions on their merits.

SAINTS AND SCHOLARS GONE.

He did not believe anybody thought there was very much trace left now of the "Saints and Scholars." They were neither very much better nor worse than other peoples. However, he saw no way of having an intelligent and cultivated public opinion in a country like Ireland except through the preservation and revival of the national language. With it would grow up a spirit of devotion and genuine patriotism—a desire to advance the glory of the country to that high destiny which, with the eyes of faith, so many who had immolated themselves in the past had seen before them.

They were now at the beginning of a new era. Whatever justification in the past there had been for these pseudo-Gaelicists, there was now none. They wanted a spirit of sacrifice and service in this country. They wanted to face their task in a spirit of stern realism. The time was past when they should model themselves on the sentimental imbecile.

PROFESSOR R. M. HENRY.

Professor R. M. Henry, Queen's University, Belfast, in seconding the resolution, said that the Irish nation must be built up now or in the immediate future if it was to be built up at all, and what they had to concern themselves with was the study of Irish history, Gaelic civilisation, and the Irish language. The Irish had missed the disciplinary experience which they would have had had they come under the sway of the Roman Empire. The struggle against Anglicisation was simply a refusal to borrow from outside that which, if left to itself, the Irish nation would have borrowed with a good heart.

"MOST IGNORANT PEOPLE."

Professor T. F. O'Rahilly, who complimented the Auditor, said that pseudo-Gaelicism owed its existence to the prevalent disease of ignorance. The Irish were probably the most ignorant people in the West of Europe, and of nothing were they more ignorant than of their own past.

The resolution was put, and adopted with applause.

THE NEW OFFICERS.

The following are the officers of the Society for the present year:—Auditor, Mr. G. A. Duncan, Sch., Mod., B.A.; treasurer, Mr. E. Goff, Sch.; corresponding secretary, Mr. J. L. Donaghy; record secretary, Mr. O'D. McCarthy Willis; Librarian, Mr. Donough Bryan.

TALE OF A CHEQUE.

"MEDICAL STUDENT" AND A DUBLIN BANK.

In the Northern Police Court, Dublin, yesterday, before Mr. Cooper, K.C., a well-dressed young man, who entered the dock on crutches, was charged by Inspector O'Connell and Detective Sergeant Lynch with attempting to obtain £10 cash on a cheque for £500, which he presented at the Munster and Leinster Bank, Sackville street, Dublin.

The accused's name was given as John William Barry, alias Cyril Lynn Grant, alias J. D. Barry, alias Brady, alias Lewis, and with a number of other aliases. It was stated that he was a native of South Wales.

Mr. Edward Hudson, accountant in the Munster and Leinster Bank, Sackville street branch, deposed that on Saturday, 29th September, about 10 a.m., a man came into the bank on crutches and presented a cheque for £500 drawn on the Bank of Liverpool and Martins, Limited, Kingsway branch. He asked to be allowed to open an account in the bank with the cheque, for £10 cash, and a receipt for the balance. He said he was a medical student at Trinity College.

While witness was filling up the deposit receipt requisition he asked accused were there two Lynn Grants in Trinity College, and was he the Lynn Grant that was known to the bank. He said it was rather strange that there were two students in Trinity College of the same name and the same initials, but that he thought Charles was the other man's name. The accused then told witness that his own name was Cyril J. Lynn Grant, and gave his address as Trinity College. He said his number was A8 in Trinity College, and that the other C. J. Lynn Grant's number was 30, which witness knew to be correct.

When witness asked the accused for some proof of his identity, the accused said he could be identified by Dr. O'Carroll, of Fitzwilliam square, and he left to fetch Dr. O'Carroll in a taxi-cab. Witness forwarded the cheque to the bank in Liverpool, and it was returned marked "No account."

Mr. Charles James Lynn Grant, Trinity College, stated that he had never known the accused to have been a student at Trinity. The endorsement at the back of the cheque (produced) was not in witness's handwriting. He knew the defendant in the Army as J. W. F. Berry.

Detective Officer Lynch stated that he visited Kelly's pawn office on Monday, where he saw the accused, who was then offering a watch in pawn. Witness told him who he was, and that he believed that he (accused) answered the description of a man wanted by the police. The accused gave his name as John W. Brady, of 4 Merrion road. He said his father was a retired solicitor, and that he (accused) was studying medicine. He had three cheque-books in his possession.

The accused was remanded in custody until Friday.

ACCIDENTAL DEATH.

DUBLIN LABOURER'S FALL FROM SCAFFOLDING.

At the Dublin Morgue yesterday a verdict of accidental death was returned at the inquest on William McKenna, a labourer, 2 Magee's Court, Charlotte street, who died at the Mater Hospital as the result of injuries sustained when erecting a scaffolding in Botanic avenue on Friday.

Patrick Dowling deposed that he was working with McKenna on Friday last. As they were removing a plank from the scaffolding the scaffolding collapsed, and McKenna was thrown to the concrete floor. In witness's opinion the occurrence was purely accidental.

Mr. H. C. Shannon, of the Ministry of Industry and Commerce, said that he had inspected the scene of the occurrence. He thought that the scaffolding uprights had not been properly braced.

Dr. Good, who appeared for Messrs. Crampton, contractors, in whose employment McKenna had been, said that the firm much regretted the occurrence, and wished to express their sympathy with the relatives of the deceased man.

COLLEGE HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

The College Historical Society will hold a debate this evening at 8 o'clock. Subject—"That the present policy of the Irish Labour movement is detrimental to the best interests of this country." Chairman, Mr. J. R. Mortished, Assistant Secretary, Irish Labour Party. Speakers, affirmative—Librarian (E. N. Goff, Sch.), F. C. O. Budd, H. L. Fletcher, W. S. Maguinness. Negative—V. Kierans, Sen.Mod.; J. R. Blakeney, D. Bryan, F. W. Johnston.

GAELIC PASTIMES.

ALL-ARMY FOOTBALL CONTESTS.

At Croke Park to-day. Football and hurling, Kerry Command v. Special Corps Command. First match at 2 o'clock sharp.

LEINSTER COLLEGES' CHAMPIONSHIPS.

Knockbeg and Kilkenny (St. Kieran's) met at Kilkenny in the first round of the football championship. After a vigorous game the visitors won on the following score:—Knockbeg, 2 goals 1 point; St. Kieran's, 1 goal 2 points. Referee—Mr. J. O'Keeffe.

Mullingar (St. Finian's) went under to Multyfarnham on Thursday at Mullingar in the same competition, the scores being:—Multyfarnham, 1 goal 4 points; Mullingar (St. Finian's), 1 goal 2 points. Referee—Mr. T. C. Fallon.

LEIX COUNTY SENIOR HURLING FINAL

Played at Maryborough on Sunday between Kilcotton and Ballacolla, and resulted in favour of the former by 5 goals and 2 points to 1 goal, after a moderate game.

BILLIARDS.

FALKINER v. INMAN.

In this match at Leicester square, London, yesterday afternoon, both men were in capital form, Falkiner averaging 111, and Inman 70. Falkiner started with 304, from 63 unfinished, afterwards adding 241 226 and 116 unfinished. Inman's best were 65, 89 and 244. Interval scores:—Falkiner, 2,001; Inman, 990.

The evening session dragged a good deal, because of the long spells of safety play, in which Inman exhibited much of his old inimitable finesse. Still, Falkiner held the upper hand. His only notable breaks were 205 and 185, while Inman's best scoring runs were 199, 101 and 83. Closing scores:—Falkiner, 2,666; Inman, 1,624.

SMITH v. NEWMAN.

Resuming this game at Burroughes' Hall, Piccadilly, yesterday, Newman made a splendid recovery from his disastrous start, averaging 162 for the afternoon session, against Smith's 52, and totalling 1,134 points against 416. In breaks of 228, 240, 124, 108 and 322 unfinished, he played delightfully. Smith's great overnight break of 588 unfinished, ended at 608, and afterwards his best efforts were 101, 138 and 90. Interval scores: Smith, 1,750; Newman, 1,254.

Some brilliant billiards was seen at night, Newman making breaks of 406 and 463, and Smith 141, 171 and 507 unfinished. They each paid three visits to the table, and Smith, with two complete innings, returned the remarkable average of 409. Closing scores:—Smith (in play), 2,569; Newman, 1,834.

LONDON METALS MARKET.

SHARP RISE IN TIN.

TIN again firmer, while in good demand. Values closed below the best, while on balance cash and forward ruled £4 per ton up as compared with final rates of Monday. Cash quoted, also three months, at £221 to £221 5/-, settlement price £221. Sales, 1,200 tons; cash sold at £221 15/- to £221, November dates £221 to £223 10/- to £221, December £221 to £222 10/- to £221, three months £221 to £223 to 221 10/-. COPPER market also firmer, with a good inquiry, prices on balance being 10/- per ton dearer. Standard cash quoted at £63 5/- to £63 7/6, three months £63 15/- to £63 17/6, settlement price £63 5/-. Sales, 2,000 tons; standard cash sold at £63 7/6 to £63 5/-, December £63 10/-, and three months £64 to £63 17/6; electros £68 10/- to £69 10/-, best selected £66 5/- to £67 10/-, strong sheets £95, wire bars £69 10/-. LEAD steady. Sales, 800 tons; November sold at £31 2/6, December £29 17/6, January £28 17/6. SPELTER steady. Sales, 650 tons; December £33 12/6, January £33 12/6 to £33 11/3, February, also March, £33 12/6 per ton. TIN PLATES unaltered.

MISCELLANEOUS.

DUBLIN HAY AND STRAW, Smithfield, Tuesday.—Notwithstanding wet and boisterous state of weather, there was a surprisingly good gathering of hay and straw on market. The sale, too, proved relatively satisfactory, and in many cases last day's terms were exceeded for best strong hay in anything like dry condition. A large quantity of fodder wanted for cattle, detained in shipping lairs (several thousand head), was helpful to market. Choice strong hay 5/3 to 5/6 and 6/-, occasional Co. Dublin fancy loads from shed 6/3 and 6/6, medium strong hay 4/9 to 5/3, best old meadow 3/9 to 4/6, middling and damp 2/9 to 3/6, second cutting 2/6 to 3/6; straw 3/- to 3/6 and 3/9 per cwt.

LIVERPOOL COTTON (Closing), Tuesday.—American good inquiry. Brazilian quotations advanced 1 point. East Indian quotations advanced 35 points. Egyptian fair request. November 19.38d., December 19.28d., January 19.22d., February 19.14d., March 19.06d., April 18.96d. Sales, 8,000 bales. Imports, 3,806 bales. Market steady.

MANCHESTER TRADE, Tuesday.—As usual, India is most noticeable in a fairly wide volume of cloth inquiry, but offers are maintained on safe level. Dhooties are in most prominent request, with subdued interest in shirtings and fancies. More buying activity expected in near future. Business matures slowly in other directions. Yarns present no distinctly new feature in either demand or selling price.

PRODUCE AND FOOD.

CATTLE.

SALFORD, Tuesday.—Irish supplies, owing to foot-and-mouth disease restrictions, had to be slaughtered at port of landing, and resulted in poor show of cattle, only 674 beasts being on offer. 10d. per lb. general top figure. Sheep numbered 6,674, lambs making up to 1/6, small sheep 1/4 per lb.

BIRMINGHAM, Tuesday.—Pigs were in fair supply, and cold snap has improved the demand, rates being very firm. Quotations per score, dead weight:—Sizeable bacons 15/-, small pigs 16/-, and sows 12/-.

GRAIN.

DUBLIN CORN EXCHANGE, Tuesday.—Practically no new feature developed in our corn market. Trade is very slow, and prices take much the same range as quoted on Friday.

FLOATING GRAIN CARGOES—BALTIC, Tuesday.—WHEAT—Cargo market dull, but holders required generally late rates; No. 1 Northern Manitoba January sellers 44/3, No. 2 ditto 43/6, white Pacific afloat 45/9, Australian January-February 45/6, Rosafe (62½ lbs.) January-February 45/-. Parcels quiet and tendency easier; No. 1 Northern Manitoba October-November 44/-, November-December 43/9, December-January 43/6, Australian December 43/6, Rosafe (62½ lbs.) January-February 42/3 per 480lbs. MAIZE cargoes sparingly offered at a further advance, but buyers do not respond; Plate afloat sellers 36/6 to 37/-, December-January 38/3, January-February 38/9, February-March 39/3, Dan.-Gal.-Foxanian December-January 36/9. Parcels active and dearer; Plate afloat sold 36/9, October-November 36/6 to 36/7½, November-December and December-January 36/7½, ditto to Liverpool December-January 36/9 per 480lbs. BARLEY cargoes firm and sparingly offered: Dan.-Bess.-Kustendji afloat and loading sellers 29/3, Black Sea shipping/shipped 29/6, Persian December-January 25/3 per 400lbs. Parcels move off quietly at late rates. OATS steady, but quiet; Plate f.a.q. afloat sellers 21/6, December-January 20/9, January-February 20/3, No. 2 Canadian Western November 25/-, No. 2 feed ditto 23/3 per 320lbs.

LIVERPOOL, Tuesday.—American markets finished about as expected, but with the recovery in sterling exchange rates, forward deliveries of WHEAT here gave way to a fair extent during the early trading, but later on improved, with sellers showing more reserve, and, helped by late afternoon cables, finished only the turn under last night: C.i.f. parcels No. 1 Manitoba afloat sold at 43/9, October-November 43/9 to 43/10½, No. 2 Western white shortly due 44/3 to Liverpool, and No. 1 Manitoba afloat 43/10½ to 44/-, No. 3 Manitoba 15th December 40/10½ to Manchester. C.i.f. parcels MAIZE River Plate November sold 36/- to 36/1½, November-December 36/3, December-January 36/9, Galatz-Foxanian afloat 36/-, October-November 36/- to 36/6¼ per quarter.

PROVISIONS.

LIVERPOOL, Tuesday.—Irish and Danish BACON continues to be freely offered, but no quotable change in values reported. Canadian Wiltshires quiet at the recent decline. American selections of bacon here again rule quiet, consequent on the liberal supplies of long sides offering, while Chicago cables, on the whole, are not encouraging. Buyers operate merely for their actual needs, though the only quotable change in value is a decline in heavy averages of Cumberlands, which now offer at 80/- to 84/- per cwt. HAMS firm and dearer, with a good demand at 112/- to 116/- for long cut, 115/- to 120/- short cut, and 122/- to 128/- per cwt. for extra skinned. Shoulders firm for picnics, but squares quiet and easier at 69/- to 73/- per cwt. LARD on the spot unchanged, though holders offer very sparingly of American refined at late rates. CHEESE still quiet, the recent decline in values failing to stimulate demand to any appreciable extent. BUTTER firm and in fair request, with most makes dearer, Irish creameries now at 188/- to 192/-, New Zealand 202/- to 206/-, and Canadian 184/- to 188/- per cwt. EGGS firm at 26/- to 28/- for Irish hen, 17/6 to 18/6 Canadian, and 12/6 to 13/6 per 120 Polish.

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REFINED LARD "FUTURES."—LIVERPOOL, Tuesday.—Chicago finished decidedly better than anticipated and this market opened on a higher level. Prices further improved on good buying, and at the end of the early session showed 3d. to 1/- per cwt. advance, December delivery being most affected. Sales covered November at 80/- to 79/9, December 75/3 to 75/9, January 69/6 to 69/9, and May 69/-, with February held at 69/9 and March 70/- per cwt. Afternoon cables were easier, but prices here somewhat irregular, closing 3d. to 1/- dearer on the day. November sold at 80/-, December 75/6, January 69/9 to 70/-, with February quoted 67/6 to 69/-, March 67/- to 68/-, May 68/9 to 69/-, and cash ex store 82/- bid. Weekly settlement prices—November 80/-, December 75/6, January 69/9, February 68/3, March 68/-, May 69/- per cwt.

MANCHESTER, Tuesday.—BUTTER—There was a brisk demand for butter, and prices all round were dearer; Danish finest ranged from 212/- to 215/-, Irish creameries 194/- to 198/-, New Zealand at about 200/- per cwt. BACON met a quiet, steady sale at unchanged prices. LARD in limited supply and dearer; English refined quoted 86/- per cwt. CHEESE quiet, with Cheshire finest at 1/3½ and Lancashire finest 1/4 per lb.; Canadian white quoted 102/- to 104/- per cwt. EGGS firm, with best selections in good demand; Irish quoted 26/6 to 28/-, Danish 25/6 to 27/- per 120.

DUBLIN FRUIT AND VEGETABLE, Tuesday.—The trade for imported fruit continues discouraging and unremunerative. In many cases prices are around or under cost. American apples, also Keiffer and other pears, are quoted on stock lists at nominally previous rates. Almeria grapes 18/- to 25/- and 28/- per barrel, black grapes 1/6 to 1/9 and 2/6 per lb., lemons 30/- to 35/- per case; Irish apples specially selected 25/- to 29/- per barrel, common sorts cheap. Heavy market of vegetables. Sales fairly supported, but without appreciable competition, and prices irregular. Cauliflowers 1/6 to 2/6, 2/9 and 2/10 per dozen, seconds 9d. to 1/-; sprouts 2/9 to 3/6 and 4/- per float; Swede turnips 2/2 to 2/10 per cwt.; York cabbage 15/- to 25/-, and extras 30/- to 35/- per load; celery 1/6 to 3/6 and 4/6, special 5/- to 6/- per bundle; white turnips 2d. to 4d. and 6d. per bundle, carrots 1/6 to 2/3 and 2/6 per dozen bunches; salad 2d. to 3d. and 4d. per dozen, tomatoes 9d. to 1/- and 1/3 per lb., parsnips 2/- to 2/6 per bag, parsley 6d. to 9d. per tray, and 1/3 to 1/10 per bag; leeks 2/- to 2/6 per dozen bunches, beet 1/- to 2/- and 3/-, sage 1/6 to 2/- per dozen bunches, spinach 6d. to 8d. per float.

DUBLIN POTATO, Tuesday.—Supplies of potatoes continue to get shorter—not that there is any real scarcity in the country, but growers are holding back for some reason or another. The value position is consequently uncertain at the moment, but there is a general disposition to advance prices, perhaps 10/- per ton on best handled stuff. City terms 7/- to 7/6 per cwt., and in some cases 8/- per cwt.

DUBLIN POULTRY AND GAME, Tuesday.—Supplies of poultry are generally heavy, and with some check in trade owing to mildness of weather, values experience a more or less pronounced set-back. Chickens 11d. to 1/- and 1/1 per lb. dead; turkeys 1/3 to 1/6 per lb.; fat young geese 9d. to 10d. and 1/- per lb., stubble alive 5/- to 6/6 each; old fowl plentiful, 1/6 to 2/6, prime fat hens 2/- to 2/6 and 3/-, fat ducks 3/6 to 4/6, others 1/6 to 3/- each; grouse, young 3/6, old 1/6; partridge, young 2/6, old 1/6; pheasants 3/- to 4/- each, woodcock 2/6, snipe 6d. to 7d.; hares, prime 3/-, rabbits 10d. to 1/2 each.

DUBLIN BUTTER AND EGG, Tuesday.—There is a decidedly dearer undertone in our butter market, and current prices of to-day can scarcely be repeated in the later stages of the week, as an advance of 4/- per cwt. last week in New Zealand produce on the other side of the Channel has been followed by a rise in Copenhagen. Official quotations up this week 12/- to 13/- per cwt. The quality of Irish creams shows considerable variance, and trade chiefly runs on choice quality fresh dairies, which make for the moment 1/8½ to 1/8½ per lb., but, as before noted, with a dearer bearing for the near future. Medium quality creams 1/7½ to 1/8½ per lb., secondary grades from 1/6½ to 1/7. Farmers' butter not so plentiful, and best qualities range from 1/2 to 1/5 per lb., according to character; other sorts from 10d. to 1/1 per lb. Factories also run from 1/2 to 1/5 per lb. With regard to eggs, the situation is peculiar. There is not the slightest doubt that, in comparison with other food commodities, eggs have gone far above their economic value, and this is more especially made apparent by bids from the other side of the water, which come more around 26/6 to 27/6 for Irish eggs, although best case hen eggs here are held for 28/6 to 32/- per 120; specially selected and repacked parcels 1/- or so more; smalls and secondary eggs may be quoted 23/- to 27/6 per 120. The high prices for eggs locally, no doubt, also curtail consumptive demand to some extent, but as supplies just now are at about their lowest the effect is not so keenly felt on the balance of trade regarding supply and demand, and top values are maintained in consequence. However, Danish eggs have commenced to feature in quantity on Dublin market, and are coming in in more satisfactory condition than Irish at less money. The only disadvantage to be reckoned with is the considerable amount of breakages in the rough handling as between Liverpool and Dublin. Duck eggs commencing to get plentiful, but are not much in favour, and rate 7/6 to 9/6 per 120 below the value of Irish hen eggs, except for large qualities, which run up to, perhaps, 25/6 to 27/6 per 120.

CORK BUTTER, Tuesday.—The tone of the market continues quiet and steady. Choicest salted 135/- per cwt., creameries 181/- to 185/-, farmers' fresh parcels 140/-.

DUBLIN FISH, Thursday.—Rather a moderate market of country and local fish forward this morning—only 310 boxes of trawl stuff on four steamers. Codfish scarce; 7 chests lobsters in, also about 30 boxes herrings and 17 of mackerel. Trade good all round. First pick lobsters 20/- to 30/- per 13, seconds 15/- to 17/6, smalls 5/- to 7/6 and 10/-; turbot 1/- to 15/- and 20/-, brill 6d. to 3/- and 4/- each, best soles 40/- to 50/- per 9 pairs, mediums 22/6 to 30/-, slips 7/6 to 12/6 and 15/- per 9 pairs; best plaice 50/- to 95/- and 100/- per half-box, codfish 50/- to 90/- and 95/-, hake 45/- to 90/-, white soles 40/- to 65/-, haddocks 50/- to 80/-, pollock 25/- to 36/-, ray 15/- to 25/-, whiting 20/- to 35/- and 40/-, gurnard 8/- to 12/6, herrings 22/6 to 30/-, and mackerel 25/- to 30/- per half-box.

BILLINGSGATE FISH, Tuesday.—Supply fair. Demand fair. Soles 15d. to 18d., slips 12d. to 16d. per lb.; live eels 14/- to 22/-, dead 12/- to 19/-, draught: turbot 11/- to 12/-, brill 9/- to 10/-, plaice 11/- to 13/-, halibut 12/- to 16/-, lemon soles 12/- to 17/-, cod 5/- to 8/-, whiting 3/-, hake 10/-, gurnet 3/- to 4/-, whitches 5/- to 7/-, skate 5/-; haddocks 4/- to 6/- per stone.

PRODUCE.

LONDON, Tuesday.—TEA—In auction 12,000 packages Ceylon were offered, and met a good demand. Fine grades were well competed for, and mostly realised firmer rates, though quality in some instances showed a further falling off; other kinds went at about steady prices. Pekoe sold at 1/4½ to 1/10, broken ditto 1/5½ to 1/10½, orange Pekoe 1/6½ to 1/10½, broken ditto 1/6½ to 2/0½ per lb. in bond. COFFEE—Spot market firm for all the better liquoring grades, with fair demand. Futures firmer: December sold 61/- to 61/6, March quoted 59/- per cwt. RICE quiet, but prices steady; two stars spot Rangoon 15/9, November-December 14/-. Spanish steady, while Carolina sorts were held for full rates. Japanese peas in moderate request at steady rates. SPICE—Pepper market steady; fair black Singapore L.S. January-March quoted 4½d., Muntok ditto 6 7-16d. Zanzibar cloves firm; October-December steamer quoted 1/4, November-January 1/4½, January-March 1/4½ per lb. TAPIOCA moves off quietly at late rates. Sago flour slow, and afloat parcels quoted 15/4½. Desiccated Cokernut steady, but quiet; fine spot 44/9, medium 43/9, halves October-November 41/9, November-December 41/- per cwt.

SUGAR—Cuban receipts for past week totalled 3,369 tons, against 1,862 tons same time last year; exports, 16,502 tons, against 44,650 tons; stock, 73,133 tons, against 141,481 tons. Weather—Rain wanted in some parts. Total Java shipments last month reached 154,817 tons, against 122,333 tons at corresponding period last year, including 19,064 tons, against 1,032 tons, to U.K.-Continent. Port Said for orders, 2,428 tons, against 6,673 tons. British India, 36,792 tons, against 29,932 tons; Japan, 43,714 tons, against 37128 tons; Singapore, etc., 15,664 tons, against 47,478 tons; Hong Kong, 31,936 tons, against nil; New Zealand, 4,735 tons, against nil. U.K. consumption last month totalled 109,711 tons, against 148,683 tons at same time last year. Market presented very firm features, with good demand for British refined spot parcels at the recent advance. Forward granulated, however, was raised 3d. to 6d. per cwt. Messrs. Tate and Lyle's granulated second half December quoted 56/6, January, also February-March, 55/3. Imported tends dearer; white Java spot quoted 53/3 to 33/6, June steamer 24/9 c.i.f. London; Czecho-Slovakian November-December 26/6, January-March 26/3 f.o.b. Hamburg. Belgian granulated ready 26/6 f.o.b. Antwerp. Raw refining kinds firm, while sparingly offered. Terminal market slightly unsettled, with a fair business passing; December sold 25/9 to 25/7½, March 25/7½ to 25/4½, May 25/6 to 25/4½, August 25/3 to 25/1½ per cwt.

JUTE firmer, with moderate demand; first grade to Continent November-December sellers £23 10/-, ditto December-January £23 15/-, January-February sold £24 5/- per ton. Hessians and twills unaltered. HEMP—Manila quieter; J grade January-March sellers £32, K £26, L £25 15/-, M £23 5/- per ton. SHELLAC steady; T.N. spot 313/-, December sold 307/6, March buyers 307/6 per cwt. COPRA sparingly offered, and prices again firmer; F.M.S. Straits to Rotterdam August-October buyers £28 12/6, October-November £28 5/- paid, October-December sold £27 18/9, November-January buyers £28 2/6; Ceylon afloat sold £29 15/-, October-November sellers £28 12/6, South Sea Islands October-December £27. PALM KERNELS—December-February to Liverpool sellers £19 2/6 per ton. RUBBER—Market opened quiet, but subsequently ruled firmer on improved inquiries; plantation standard crepe and sheet spot, also November, sold at 1/2½ to 1/2¾, December 1/2¾ to 1/3½, January-March 1/3½ to 1/3, April-June 1/3½ to 1/3¾ and 1/3⅝ per lb. W.M. sorts unaltered. OILS—Linseed firmer; spot 42/3, November-December 40/9, January-April sold 38/4½, May-August 35/6. Rape—Crude spot 59/-. Cotton—Crude Egyptian spot 39/6, Bombay 38/-. Cocoanut—Ceylon spot pipes 45/6, November-December 44/9. Turpentine steady, but quiet; American spot 71/6, December 72/-, January-April 73/6 per cwt. Petroleum and Rosin unaltered. OILSEEDS—Linseed active, and again firmer; bold Bombay to Hull November sold £23 to £23 2/6. Calcutta ditto to London 8th November £22 10/-, ditto to Hull November £22 12/6. Plate to Hull December £19 8/9, December-January £17 12/6, January-February £17 2/6. Rapeseed again firmer; Toria, also small bold Ferozepore November-December sellers £17 17/6. Cottonseed steady; Egyptian black November to Hull quoted £12 2/6, white ditto £11 10/-, Bombay December-January £9 12/6, January-February £9 8/9 per ton.

CLYDE CRUSHED SUGAR, Tuesday.—Market continues active, with a good demand. Refiners are asking a further 3d. to 6d. advance.

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NEWS SUMMARY.

IRELAND.

At a meeting of the College of Science Association, in Dublin last night, a resolution was passed calling on the Government to restore the College buildings in Upper Merrion street, now used to house Government offices, to their legitimate uses.—(Page 6.)

When two men were sentenced to twelve months' imprisonment at Athlone yesterday, the magistrate promised to reconsider the punishment if a rifle which they carried on the night on which they committed the offence of which they were convicted was given up. One of the prisoners was taken twenty miles away by the military, and, having found the rifle, handed it to the Civic Guard. The sentences were afterwards reduced.—(Page 6.)

The British authorities have not yet made any announcement with reference to the re-opening of cross-Channel ports to Irish cattle.—(Page 6.)

At the Dublin County Commission yesterday James Brennan was sentenced to four months' imprisonment with hard labour for assaulting Peter Mulvihill, a rate collector, at Ardoghill, County Longford, with intent to rob.—(Page 7.)

A meeting of Convocation of the National University last night passed a resolution by a majority calling for the release of the political prisoners, including the Chancellor of the University (Mr. de Valera).—(Page 6.)

Mr. Ernest Blythe, Minister of Finance, was one of the speakers at the opening meeting of the Trinity College Gaelic Society yesterday, when Mr. G. A. Duncan, Auditor of the Society, delivered his inaugural address on "Pseudo-Gaelicism."—(Page 3.)

In the Northern Ireland Parliament yesterday Sir Dawson Bates, Minister of Home Affairs, said that the Curfew Order would be withdrawn as soon as that course was considered safe. To differentiate between areas would raise considerable difficulties. Mr. Coote said that they were particularly grateful for the Curfew in Tyrone and Fermanagh.—(Page 6.)

GREAT BRITAIN.

Mr. Baldwin, in the House of Commons yesterday, announced that the House would be dissolved on Friday next, and that he would appeal to the country on a protectionist policy.—(Page 5.)

Both sections of the British Liberal Party have re-united in view of the forthcoming general election.—(Page 5.)

The House of Commons yesterday discussed Mr. Baldwin's announcement of his advice to the Crown that the dissolution should take place on Friday next, and the Premier's action in precipitating a general election at such short notice was severely criticised by both Liberal and Labour members. All parties in the House joined in paying a tribute to the memory of the late Mr. Bonar Law.—(Page 5.)

ABROAD.

The ex-Crown Prince of Germany has arrived at Oels, Silesia. France is seriously concerned over his movements and the rumours of the ex-Kaiser's intentions, and there is talk of demanding their arrest. Great Britain's opinion is anxiously awaited. Berlin denies that the ex-Kaiser has received his passports.—(Page 5.)

SPORTING.

At Leicester yesterday Soval won the Leicestershire Handicap.—(Page 8.)

A British Election.

The Imperial Parliament will be dissolved on Friday, and thus one of the shortest sessions in history will come to an end. Writs for a general election will be issued immediately, and polling will take place throughout Britain and Northern Ireland on the 6th December. The Prime Minister told the House of Commons yesterday that he had come to the conclusion that Protection was the only remedy for unemployment. In view of Mr. Bonar Law's pledge, no change in the fiscal policy of the nation could take place during the life-time of the present Parliament; therefore he had decided to consult the electorate at the earliest possible opportunity. Any attempt to postpone the issue until next autumn would have been hopeless, and the revival of the controversy between Free Trade and Tariff Reform would have overshadowed everything else and would have made Parliamentary progress almost impossible. The problem, consequently, narrowed itself down to a choice between the immediate future and the middle of January, because, as Mr. Baldwin pointed out, the Government, if it is successful, wants to incorporate its new proposals in the next Budget. It was a choice between two evils, and Mr. Baldwin has chosen the less. An election next month will be a nuisance, but it will be over before Christmas, and then, perhaps, the nation will have a rest for a few years.

From the point of view of party tactics Mr. Baldwin has executed a clever stroke. The Labour Party has been taken unawares. Its political stock at present is rather low, and Mr. Ramsay Macdonald and his friends will find great difficulty in providing the £400,000 which will be necessary to finance the election campaigns of their four hundred prospective candidates. The Liberals, also, have been surprised. In their case, however, the resurrection of the old fiscal issue has been a god-send, inasmuch as it has supplied them with the skeleton of a policy at last. Moreover, it has brought about Liberal re-union, superficially at any rate; for at a party meeting yesterday Mr. Lloyd George and Mr. Asquith, with their respective lieutenants, agreed for the purposes of the election to work in double harness again. Which, if either, of them will act as nominal leader is unknown, but they will present a united front at the hustings. Until Mr. Baldwin declares his policy in greater detail, however, neither Mr. Asquith nor Mr. Lloyd George is likely to make much headway in the constituencies. At present their attack is confined to foolish jests about currants and canned lobster, and the public will require something more than a policy of futile negation before it will be weaned from its allegiance to the Conservatives.

At present the Government commands a majority of seventy-seven over all other parties in the House of Commons. Out of 615 members 346 are Conservatives, 144 are Labour men, 117 are Liberals of both persuasions, and the remaining eight are what the Germans term *Wilds*, or nondescripts. The position in the constituencies is very interesting. In London the Conservatives hold 44 out of 62 seats. Their share of the 163 boroughs is 112, while in the English counties they have 153 out of 230 members. In England alone they command a clear majority; for of the 110 Scottish and Welsh seats they hold only 21. Will they be able to retain their lead? Speculation would be useless at this stage, but there is one factor in the situation which should not be ignored. Political thought has changed enormously within the past twenty years, and a totally new set of standards has arisen. The old glamour of Free Trade as a party slogan has disappeared very largely, and, although there is strong opposition to any measure of Protection in Manchester and the North of England generally, the Liberal leaders will be unable to work up that almost religious fervour which inflamed the great campaigns of 1905-1906. Be that as it may, Mr. Baldwin is staking not only his own political fortunes, but the whole future of British Conservatism on a single throw of the dice. No other problem will cut across the main issue of Protection against Tariff Reform. Even the European situation will fall into the background, and for the first time since 1910 a British election will be fought on a purely domestic controversy.

Culture and Politics.

"Pseudo-Gaelicism" was the title of the Auditor's address, last night, to the Trinity College Gaelic Society. It is an arresting title because it implies that there is, or has been, a certain amount of humbug, ignorance or false pretension in the Gaelic movement. Hitherto anybody who made such a charge in public was the subject of instant and violent censure and was lucky if he was called nothing more opprobrious than a "Castle hack." Mr. Duncan's address did not belie its title. It was an incisive criticism of certain very popular features of the Gaelic revival—the flaunting of practices which, as he showed, have no root in the history of Gaelic Ireland. He was bold enough to insist that the early Irish preferred trousers to kilts, did not play on bagpipes and cared for neither reels nor jigs—in fact, did not dance at all. Yet, although Mr. Duncan spoke in a centre of Gaelic culture, his audience heard this iconoclastic talk without anger. They may not have acquiesced in it—Mr. Blythe, the Minister of Finance, said that he did not go "all the way" with Mr. Duncan—but they recognised his full right to make his case. This new attitude is a most encouraging sign of the times, and we agree entirely with Professor O'Rahilly's opinion that it is a direct and immediate result of national self-government. The Gaelic movement was one of the weapons in the Anglo-Irish conflict and, as such, was soiled by much ignoble use. It became a shibboleth—a brand of distinction between classes and creeds. It was employed rather as a provocation to passion than as a stimulus to intellectual curiosity and the powers of the mind. If it is to be removed now to a calmer arena, the scope and quality of Gaelic studies will benefit largely in the near future. Sound standards of criticism will be created. The linguistic and literary merits of the language, and its national traditions, will make a far more cogent appeal to the minds of intelligent Irishmen than appeals barbed with political hatreds and prejudices were able to make in the past. Everything will depend on the extent to which the language movement is kept on the plane of culture and off the plane of public affairs. We agree that it has special claims and ought to get every reasonable encouragement from the Government and from Irish universities and schools. We are quite willing to accept Mr. Blythe's test that the language shall be valued and supported according to the measure of the profit which it confers on Ireland. If, however, the Irish language is made a touchstone of patriotism or, on any large scale, a condition of employment—if it is to be forced upon the rising generation under positive or negative penalties—those who love it with most knowledge will have every cause for regret. Such a policy will foster "pseudo-Gaelicism" in its most mischievous and most degrading form.

Spanish Railways.

There is a close similarity between the Spanish Directory's most pressing tasks and those of the Free State Government. The Directory is trying to balance its Budget by means of large economies. The Budget deficit during the last two years exceeded forty million pounds, and the short-term notes recently in circulation amounted to a larger sum than the country's annual revenue. In these circumstances the Directory is cutting down national expenses on all sides. It has dismissed unnecessary officials, has suppressed useless departments, has reduced the army and is inexorable in the collection of taxes. It is considering also a scheme for the funding of the floating debt. The railway companies present a problem which has some peculiar features. In recent years the Budget has been charged with an annual payment of some four millions to the Spanish railways, and the security for this advance, as the Madrid Correspondent of *The Times* explains, is doubtful. It seems that the railway traffic fluctuates in a remarkable fashion between fat and lean years. In 1918 the Government authorised an increase in railway tariffs of fifteen *per cent.* It refused afterwards to authorise further and still larger increases, but compromised on the subvention of four millions a year. This money continues to be paid, although since 1919 the railways' financial situation has improved and there is now a congestion of traffic. The position is complicated by the fact that the companies' concessions are nearing their time-limit and in a few years the lines will revert to the State. The Directory is resolved to reduce public expenditure on the railways, but has not decided yet which would be the more economic policy—a renewal of the companies' concessions or a reconsideration of the whole question of railway transport in Spain.

The Price of Petrol.

Twenty years ago the price of petrol was a matter which gave little concern to the average man; he did not care very much whether motor cars were run at the cost of a penny or of five shillings a mile. To-day the private motor car is far more common than was the private trap towards the end of the last century, and the first essential in the running of a motor vehicle is petrol. To petrol everything else is more or less secondary, and the variations in its price govern the use of cars. From the year 1896, when petrol cost 9d. a gallon, until the summer of 1920, when its price was over six times as high, the charges rose steadily. After 1920 there was a decrease in price until in the present year petrol cost about eighteen pence a gallon in England and a little more in this country, owing to the additional cost of freightage. In the near future the price of petrol may rise again. Two factors combine to make this rise probable—the under-production in America and the British Government's reported decision to sell its five million Anglo-Persian Oil Shares to one of the most important companies that deal with petrol. The under-production of petrol in America was contrived, of course, with a view to the raising of prices. Hitherto, however, the move has been unsuccessful; for, although as against the importation into Great Britain of forty-four million gallons of petrol in last July there were but twelve millions in September, the price has not been increased. The reason, no doubt, is that there were already in Great Britain large stocks of petrol. The future price is likely to depend on the issue of the present struggle between the combination of big interests and the smaller companies.

COURT AND PERSONAL.

The King and Queen will remain at York Cottage until next Monday. Staying with them this week are the Duke and Duchess of York, Princess Alice and the Earl of Athlone, Lord Elphinstone, and the Hon. Sir Harry Stonor. The Sandringham preserves will be shot over to-day and probably on Friday.

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The Prince of Wales presided last night at the festival dinner of the Coal Trade Benevolent Association, in the Guildhall. His Royal Highness has numerous engagements this week, and to-day will preside at a meeting of the Knights of the Garter at St. James's Palace. The Duke and Duchess of York, on their return from York Cottage, will take up their residence at Old House, Guilsborough, which they have taken for the hunting season.

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The gold medal presented by Princess Louise Duchess of Argyll will be awarded for the best composition of a quintet (chamber music) to-day at the British Empire Music Festival, in the Royal Albert Hall, when Her Royal Highness will be present.

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General Vicomte de la Panouse has returned to the French Embassy, London, from Paris. Princess Wiasemska is staying at the Ritz Hotel, and among the latest foreign arrivals in London are the Swedish Minister to the United States and Mrs. Wallenberg, and Count Luis and Count Juan de Urquijo.

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The Countess of Lisburne has left London to visit her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. George Philippi, at Crawley Court, Winchester. Earl Beauchamp has returned to London from Glasgow. Viscount and Viscountess Massereene and Ferrard will spend the winter in London. The Earl of Balfour has returned to London for a fortnight's stay.

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The Earl of Enniskillen arrived in Dublin on Monday from Liverpool, where he had been staying for the races. He left yesterday for Florence Court on a visit to his son, Viscount Cole. Lord Monteagle arrived in Dublin on Monday from the South of Ireland.

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The Earl of Pembroke and Montgomery, Chancellor of the Primrose League, accompanied by Mr. R. Bennett, Secretary, left London yesterday for a propaganda tour in the North of England, and will address a number of meetings.

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The engagement is announced between Captain D. M. Anderson (late 5th Royal Irish Rifles), youngest son of the late Mr. Alexander Anderson and of Mrs. Anderson, The Park, Dunmurry, Co. Antrim, and Mariam, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McCowen, Crathorne, Weybridge, and Barrow House, Ardfert, Co. Kerry.

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A marriage has been arranged, and will shortly take place, between Captain E. C. Clegg, M.C., son of the late Mr. E. C. Clegg and of Mrs. Clegg, 7 Brighton Vale, Monkstown, and Gladys, daughter of the late Mr. E. Pigott and of Mrs. Pigott, 5 Prince Arthur terrace, Leinster square, Rathmines.

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The engagement is announced between Mr. Alwyne J. S. Tuke, of the Queen's Royal Regiment, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Athol Tuke, Orchard House, Richmond, Surrey, and Georgina Emily, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Harvey, Malin Hall, Co. Donegal.

Switzer's have just secured a line of beautiful wide Tinsel Broche Ribbons, suitable for Bags, Millinery, Dresses, etc. Special offer, all one price, 1s. 11½d. per yard.

Elegant Gowns, a delightfully varied collection of Models in newest fabrics favoured by Parisian and Continental experts.—W. Holmes, Dublin, Ltd., 69, 70, 71 George's st.

Inexpensive Dance Frocks, reflecting the most recent styles, 21s. 6d., 25s. 6d., 29s. 6d., to 69s. 6d.—At Holmes', George's street.

Charming New Evening Shoes just received, in Silver Tinsel, Gold or Silver, Black Satin, Bronze, etc. Prices from 12s. 11d.—Robert and Co., Ltd., Grafton street.

Irish Poplin Millinery, latest stylish novelty. Very moderate. Atkinson's, 31 College Green.

Dinner and Dance Frocks for la Jeune fille from 4½ gns.—Campbell and Strahan, Ltd., 11 Wicklow street.

French Model Dresses and Tailored Costumes direct from Paris. McAsey, 53 Dawson st.

Special Show of Gowns, Wool Costumes, Coat Frocks, Fur-trimmed Coats, below cost. Barrett and Heaoe, 5 Dawson street.

"Yvonne," Dawson street—This week, French Models, Afternoon and Evening Gowns, at moderate prices. Model Hats.

Economy Week—Tailor-made Reversible Blanket Coats for girls 12 to 14 years, Cedar and Tan shades, reduced to 63s. Velours Cloth Check Coats in Browns and Greys, reduced to 73s., 33" and 36".—Slyne and Co., Ltd., 71 Grafton st. and 1 and 2 Harry st.

Economy Week—Very special prices obtain this week at Slyne's, Ltd., 71 Grafton street.

PASSENGERS ON ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.

Arrivals.—Dr. J. Conor O'Farrell, Mrs. Fred. Mitchell, H. C. Backhouse, Mrs. H. H. James, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Mooney, Mrs. H. G. Burgess, Miss S. de Grier, Miss J. O'Leary, Miss Manning, Mrs. Gier, E. J. Rowen, Alfred B. Waldron.

Departures.—Sir Arthur Chance, Miss G. Flannery, J. W. White, Mr. J. W. Weir, Percy T. Wyatt, Charles M. Kennedy, Mrs. C. Orr, Miss P. Coolican, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Winder.

Prize Knitting Competition—Lady Expert is giving demonstrations daily this week at McBirney's.

Special Show of Evening Gowns this day from 4½ gns.—Davis and Co., 45 Grafton st.

Warm Underclothing—We are agents for the famous makes, "Jaeger," "Chilprufe," and "Pesco" Underclothing at keenest prices.—Robert and Co., Ltd., Grafton street.

Ladies' French Velour Coats, twelve only, 4½ guineas.—Jane Mason, 27 Dawson street.

To LADIES—Elastic Stockings, Belts, and Medical Appliances. Special department for ladies on 1st floor. Female attendant.—Fannin and Co., 41 Grafton st.

Mourning Orders receive prompt attention.—Davis and Co., 45 Grafton street. 'Phone—4905.

Just arrived from London, latest Silk Wigs, Evening Wear; any shade ordered.—Maison, Marie, 53 Dawson street (entr. Duke st.). 'Phone 3060.

Mademoiselle Dorette, Masseuse and Beauty Specialist.—First Floor, 126 Stephen's Green, W.

Ladies.—When requiring your Hair Tinted or Permanently Waved, Hanna Treatments a speciality. Prices moderate. Consult Charles Ashley, Certified Hair Specialist, 106 Upper Leeson street, Dublin.

"PAINTERS OF LIGHT."

SECOND LECTURE OF HERMIONE SERIES.

Mr. Kaines Smith, this year's Hermione lecturer at Alexandra College, Dublin, delivered yesterday afternoon the second lecture of his series on "Painters of Light." The Archbishop of Dublin presided.

The lecturer said that to Poussin, the master of draughtsmanship, who never infused a particle of life into anything he drew, was to be ascribed the liberation of French art from its Renaissance traditions. It was from him that the greatest English landscape painter of the 18th century first caught his inspiration.

Mr. Kaines Smith next dealt with Claude de Lorraine, who began life as a Paris confectioner, and whose greatest works were never without a suspicion of the art of the bride's cake decorator. He was purely a painter of light, because he saw in everything merely a vehicle for moving luminosity. But he never lost a certain formal recognition of a picture as a decorative thing.

Screen presentations of pictures by Poussin, Claude de Lorraine, Fragonard, Millet, and Corot led the lecturer to Whistler, whose style he illustrated by "Cremorne Lights." He described Whistler as the most consummate humbug that ever used painting as a medium for the expression of his thoughts. There was no real light in anything he painted, nothing but the misty uncertainty of a Japanese woodcut. Not only did he, as Ruskin said, throw a pot of paint in the eyes of the public, but he blinded the public with paint.

Coming to the English landscape painters of the 18th and early 19th centuries, the lecturer gave a critical analysis of Gainsborough's "Coming Storm," one of the most marvellous pictures of the opposition of light and grey shadow that he knew of. He also told of the art of "poor old red-nosed Wilson," the half-starved genius, in some respects the greatest landscape painter of the first half of the 18th century.

Since he came to Dublin, the lecturer said, he had been asked why it was that there were so few Irish painters. In his opinion the chief reason was that there was in Ireland, as in Devonshire, such splendour, richness, and variety of colour that a painter with a real feeling for colour was at the outset discouraged from attempting to reproduce it. There was any number of Irish painters, and one of them was a painter of light, unequalled by few. That was George Barrett, one of the founders of the Royal Academy along with Nathaniel Hone, another Irishman. Barrett's picture of a Cumberland fell was a masterly rendering of a thing of beauty that few painters even see, and "yet you say you have no Irish painters."

This afternoon Mr. Kaines Smith will deal with Crome and the Norwich School.

"THE ROUND TABLE"

AT THE ABBEY THEATRE.

"The Round Table," Mr. Lennox Robinson's "comic tragedy," in three acts, was produced at the Abbey Theatre last night before a very good attendance.

Miss Eileen Crowe, the outstanding figure in the cast, played with vivacity, charm, and emotion as the occasion required. Miss Sara Allgood, if her part was not so exciting, had a rôle requiring as much subtle skill, and was a delightful Mrs. Drennan. Miss May Craig had a ready command of the expression and pose necessary to portray the character of Mrs. Williams-Williams. Indeed, everyone had grasped the essentials of his or her part so intelligently that only commendation can be given to all. Miss Maureen Delany, Miss Beatrice Elvery, Miss Dorothy Lynd, Miss Gertrude Murphy, Miss Christine Hayden, Miss Pearl Moore, and Messrs. Barry Fitzgerald, Arthur Shields, P. J. Carolan, Michael J. Dolan, F. J. McCormick, Gabriel J. Fallon, Peter Nolan, and P. J. McDonnell completed the company.

"Apartments," Mr. Fand O'Grady's one-act comedy, followed, and was very much enjoyed.

WEATHER FORECAST.

General Inference.—The deep depression over Scotland is likely to move slowly east. Winds will be from some westerly point in the South, a gale at times, tending to moderate later, with much cloud and intermittent rain. In the North winds will become northerly, and the weather will be cold, with some sleet or snow.

Ireland.—Strong north-westerly winds; showers of rain, hail or sleet, with bright intervals; visibility good; rather cold.

South-West Seaboard, Mouth of Channel to South-West Ireland; Irish Sea and St. George's Channel.—Wind north-westerly, strong to high; rain or hail showers; bright intervals; visibility good; sea rough.

North-West Seaboard, Northern Ireland to Hebrides. — Moderate to fresh northerly winds; showers of rain or sleet; bright intervals; visibility good; sea rough.

Dixon and Hempenstall, Barometers and Forecasters, 12 Suffolk street, Dublin.—(Advt)

BAROMETER.

Dublin—Tuesday (5 p.m.) 29.20

SUN.

	Rises		Sets
To-day	7.46	Sets	4.32
To-morrow	7.48		4.30
Lighting-up Time			5.32

HIGH WATER.

	Morning		Afternoon
DUBLIN.			
To-day	3.22	Afternoon	3.40
To-morrow	4.24		4.46
BELFAST.			
To-day	2.55	Afternoon	3. 8
To-morrow	3.59		4.13
QUEENSTOWN.			
To-day	9.23	Afternoon	9.47
To-morrow	10.26		11. 1

TO-DAY'S ENGAGEMENTS.

Gaiety Theatre—"Lilac Time," 2.30 and 7.45 p.m.
Theatre Royal—Varieties, 6.45 and 9 p.m.
Olympia Theatre—"Search Me," 6.45 and 9 p.m.
Tivoli Theatre—Varieties, 6.45 and 9 p.m.
Queen's Theatre—"Called Back," 6.45 and 8.45.
Abbey Theatre—"The Round Table" and "Apartments," 8.15 p.m.
Metropole Cinema—"The Voice from the Minaret," 2 to 10.30 p.m.
La Scala Theatre—"Peter the Great," 3 to 10.30 p.m.
Grafton Picture House—"Stardust."
Bohemian Picture Theatre—"The Prisoner of Zenda," 3.30, 6, and 9 p.m.
Princess Cinema, Rathmines—"Kindred of the Dust."
Pavilion, Dun Laoghaire—"The Pilgrim," 3.30 to 10.30 p.m.
Violin Recital by Joshua Watson—Engineers' Hall, 35 Dawson Street, 8.15 p.m.
Alexandra College—Hermione Lecture, 4 p.m.
Dublin University Mission to Chota Nagpur (Women's Auxiliary)—Sale of Work, Molesworth Hall, 1 to 6 p.m.
Senate and Dail, 3 p.m.
Catholic Literary Lecture—18 Lower Leeson Street, 4.30 p.m.
Dublin Guardians, 2 p.m.
City of Dublin Y.M.C.A.—Lower Abbey Street, 8.0.

"BRITISH AND BENINGTON'S, LTD., v. DUN LAOGHAIRE CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETY, LTD."

On the 18th October an advertisement appeared in the *Irish Times* under the heading, "Legal Notices," announcing the issue of a writ of summons by British and Benington's, Ltd., against the Dun Laoghaire and District Co-operative Society, Ltd. The action concerning which this notice was issued was, we are informed, settled by payment of the debt and costs. Owing to an accident in the composing room of the *Irish Times* the same notice was repeated in our issue of November 10th. We much regret this unauthorised publication and any inconvenience or annoyance which it may have caused to the Dun Laoghaire and District Co-operative Society, Ltd.

SMALLPOX AT QUEENSTOWN.

A man who arrived at Queenstown from London on the 9th inst. fell ill on landing. Smallpox was suspected, and the diagnosis of the case has now been confirmed by the Medical Superintendent of Health, who has isolated the patient at the Intercepting Hospital, Queenstown.

General Sir Charles and Lady Harington will be entertained at dinner by the Near and Middle East Association at the Savoy Hotel, London, next week, when Major-General Lord Edward Gleichen will preside. Lady Worthington-Evans presided at the farewell dinner to Sir Leslie Wilson, Governor of Bombay, and Lady Wilson, which was given by the Committee of the Ladies' Carlton Club on Monday night.

LONDON LETTER.

THE GENERAL ELECTION.

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
TUESDAY NIGHT.

The announcement that Parliament was to be dissolved this week was made officially in the evening papers before the House of Commons met, and naturally aroused much discussion in the Lobbies. In the Press Gallery, which is always predominantly Liberal in sentiment—owing, perhaps, to the preponderance of Scotsmen there—the opinion was freely expressed that the Government had made a mistake and was marching to destruction. I noticed, however, that the younger men, who are, perhaps, more in touch with the feelings of the modern electorate, were not so sure, and the opinion of the man-in-the-street, so far as I can gauge it, is that the Conservatives, by adopting a positive policy in regard to unemployment, have taken the best chance of securing themselves a fresh lease of power, though, probably, with a slightly reduced majority.

The Opposition.

The courtesy paid by the Prime Minister to Mr. Ramsay Macdonald by inviting him to Downing street to tell him that he had decided to advise the King to dissolve Parliament is a new, and rather pleasing, departure from the ordinary political life. It sets up a precedent which will, probably, be followed in future, and it sets a seal on the pleasant and friendly relations which nearly always exist between the head of the Government and the Leader of the Opposition. It also formally sets forth that the Opposition is part of the Constitution, as it necessarily must be. Yet again, it marks the fact that, should the election go against the Conservatives, Mr. Baldwin would advise the King to send for Mr. Macdonald—that is, unless the Liberals should have secured such a large following that there could be no doubt about their having the right to form a Government.

Back to Party Politics.

The Prime Minister's decision to dissolve Parliament produces one definite political result; for it breaks down completely the remnants of the old Coalition, and, in all probability, will bring about Conservative and Liberal reunion. Little will be heard of the Central Party now unless the Liberals come back sufficiently strong to make one for themselves and thus play the old game of see-saw with the Government and the Opposition. In any event, it seems that the three party system is now with us and will remain for a long time to come. Fusion between Labour and either of the other two parties seems quite out of the range of practical politics for the time being.

The Candidates.

It is supposed that there are just now some thirteen hundred candidates ready to fight for the six hundred and fifteen seats in the House of Commons, and that these include four hundred and fifty Conservatives, four hundred and fifty Liberals, and four hundred Labour candidates. The number of Conservative candidates seems scarcely sufficient, if the present majority is to be maintained, but it is probable that there will be others before the day comes for nominations. That the two wings of the Liberal Party will put as many as four hundred and fifty candidates in the field seems rather unlikely; for with a fusion there must be a considerable change of ideas on the part of some of the candidates and a turn towards Conservatism or to Socialism. Labour's position is, perhaps, the most interesting. Four hundred candidates is a very big number for a party not overburdened with funds, and, though it is likely that one hundred and forty-four Labour members now sitting will go to the poll, it sounds rather a tall order that there will be two hundred and fifty-six other candidates.

The Women's Vote.

The women's vote will play a tremendous part in the coming election, and, since the taxation of food is really a domestic question, the Conservatives must see that the women voters really understand the situation. It is, however, idle to suppose that in the political world there is anything like a sex vote. Women are politically as much divided as the men, and in most cases vote as their men folk do. In the middle class, where the man and wife have a vote, they usually go to the polling station together. This shows how very important it is that the women voters should know what they are voting for, and what will be the result of their vote.

Lord Younger.

Lord Younger is to return to the Unionist Central Organisation to take charge of the Unionist campaign before the general election. This return is largely due to the fact that Colonel Jackson, Chairman of the Central Organisation, has his own election campaign to manage, and will be engaged in travelling through the constituencies to see that all is well. Lord Younger, it is understood, is entirely in sympathy with the policy of the Prime Minister, and his return to the Central Office, therefore, may be regarded as an indication that he supports the idea of an early election.

Mr. Chamberlain.

The return of Mr. Austen Chamberlain will greatly strengthen Mr. Baldwin's Government, and cannot be without its effect in the country. Conservative interests will be consolidated in no small measure; for there has existed a feeling of regret that the Baldwin Government has not been quite representative of all that stands for Conservatism. The body holding this view may not have been numerically strong, but it is better that they shall be exerting their influence in favour of the party than standing aloof. Now that the Government of Mr. Baldwin stands for the general body of Conservative opinion, it is certain that the number of candidates described as "Independent Conservative" will be reduced to an almost negligible quantity.

The Ex-Kaiser.

It seems incredible that the German Chancellor can have sent passports to the ex-Kaiser, in order that he and his family and household may return to Germany. If it is correct, then the only inference is that a restoration of the German Monarchy is to be attempted and the ex-Kaiser, his son, or grandson put on the Imperial Throne. The restoration of the Monarchy would not much matter to the Allies in itself; but, if it is accompanied by the restoration of the Hohenzollerns, the situation changes. The Hohenzollerns can scarcely be allowed to return to Germany to build up again the machine which has once before nearly ruined the whole civilised world, and it is highly probable that, if the ex-Kaiser is allowed to return, the Allies will at once take joint steps to make his remaining in Germany an impossibility.

Armistice Day.

The suggestion is made to-day that the Armistice Day of Remembrance should always be kept on a Sunday. The idea is rather a good one; for everybody was impressed by the number of people taking part in the celebrations everywhere last Sunday and by the wonderful behaviour and order on every side. The suggestion, however, is unlikely to come to anything; for inquiries at Lambeth Palace and at Westminster Cathedral showed that, in the opinion of the Archbishop of Canterbury and Cardinal Bourne, a change was undesirable, since November 11th was dedicated to the martyrs of the war. Such an opinion will go a long way should a change be considered.

A BRITISH GENERAL ELECTION.

DISSOLUTION ON FRIDAY.

WHY MR. BALDWIN GOES TO THE COUNTRY.

LIBERAL PARTIES REUNITED.

The Imperial Parliament will be dissolved on Friday next, and Mr. Baldwin will appeal to the country to release him from Mr. Bonar Law's pledge on the fiscal question, and to give him a mandate to incorporate in next year's Budget such measures as he may deem necessary for dealing with unemployment.

Mr. Baldwin made the announcement in the Commons yesterday.

In the event of a dissolution on Friday next, the nominations for a General Election will take place on Monday, November 26th, and the polling on Thursday, December 6th.

In the meantime, it is announced officially that both sections of the Liberal Party have re-united, and will work together during and after the General Election. Mr. Asquith and Mr. Lloyd George have settled plans for a campaign in common. A manifesto will be issued dealing with the "Protectionist plunge" of Mr. Baldwin's Government.

THE ONLY COURSE.

MR. BALDWIN'S REASON

Mr. Baldwin, in moving a resolution yesterday, taking the whole time of the House of Commons for the rest of the session, said—I shall be as brief as possible, and I am going to strike no note to-day of a more controversial character than I can possibly help.

I have given a great deal of thought, as I was obliged to do, in my office, to the whole question of unemployment, and I reached certain definite conclusions. I became so convinced that the conclusions which I had arrived at were right, that I could not have undertaken to remain in my present position, to attempt to steer the country through the winter of 1924-25 unless I was allowed to use an instrument which I could not use having regard to the pledge given a year ago by Mr. Bonar Law. (Hear, hear.) I have been urged to try to avoid that pledge as much as possible, but I have little skill in finding ways round. (Ministerial cheers.) It was no temptation to try to go on and keep in office using means that I was convinced were useless for my purpose—(hear, hear)—and it seemed to me that my only course, as an honest man, was to place my views before the country, and take my chance.

It became perfectly obvious as soon as I had done that, from speeches that were made by my opponents, that a General Election would have to take place before very long, and the point I had to decide then was whether it should be taken sooner or later. In my view, it was essential that it should be taken at such time that, if the country decided to release me from the pledge, and give me a mandate, I could incorporate in next year's Budget the measure that I believe would be necessary.

PERIOD LIMITED.

That, of course, limited the period within which a General Election would be possible. But a General Election is always a disturbing element, and should be got through, in the interests of the country, as quickly as possible. (Labour cries of "Oh," and Ministerial cheers.) There is a further reason—that so long as people know that an election must come within, say, a few months, the power of Parliament for work is crippled, and the power of the Government for action is crippled also.

These reasons, therefore, made me feel that it was my duty to advise the Crown to dissolve Parliament at the earliest possible moment. (Ministerial cheers.) I see no reason why the day should not be Friday next, November 16.

That brings me to this point—that there is a bill which it is of great importance to get through before the dissolution.

Mr. Hogge—The Merchandise Marks Bill. (Opposition laughter.)

Mr. Baldwin—The Workmen's Compensation Bill. I have decided to take that bill in such time as may be available to-night and all to-morrow, having been assured by the Opposition that, so far as they can arrange it, the third reading shall be passed to-morrow night, and I have undertaken, so far as I can arrange it, that the bill shall be dealt with with the necessary speed in another place.

I propose to give Thursday to the Leader of the Opposition (Mr. Ramsay Macdonald), who will put down what is equivalent to a vote of censure on the Government—(Labour cheers)—which I shall be only too glad to meet when the occasion arises. (Ministerial cheers.)

The Marquis Curzon made a like announcement in the House of Lords.

LIBERALS RE-UNITED.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT.

FROM A POLITICAL CORRESPONDENT.
LONDON, Tuesday.

The following is the official statement agreed upon by both wings of the Liberal Party, following the meeting to-day:—Arrangements are now completed for the Liberals to fight the coming election as a united party. Both in the constituencies and at headquarters all candidates will be adopted and described as Liberals, and will be supported by the whole strength of the party, without regard to any past differences.

Mr. Asquith and Mr. Lloyd George, at the meeting this evening, settled plans for the campaign in common, and it is already certain that Liberal candidates will go to the poll in such numbers as to make united Liberalism a practical alternative to the present Government. The Liberal campaign will open immediately, and there will be a common issue of election literature from 42 Parliament street, London, S.W., and a common list of speakers allotted from Abingdon street, where Nos. 21 and 18 are being occupied in common by the Liberal Election Organisation.

Mr. Asquith has invited Mr. Lloyd George to speak at the Queen's Hall meeting, already arranged for Thursday afternoon, but in view of the House of Commons debate, this proves impracticable. It is, however, hoped that Mr. Fisher will take part.

The early meeting of the campaign will demonstrate to the country the reality of the unity now achieved, and the effectiveness of the united Liberal appeal. A manifesto will be issued dealing with the protectionist plunge of the Government, with the failure and inefficiency of their foreign policy, and with the Liberal policy for unemployment, and for other problems of the time.

MR. BRUCE'S PLANS.

The following announcement has been issued from Australia House:—

"In view of an early general election, Mr. Bruce feels obliged reluctantly to cancel his arrangements to attend public functions and engagements to speak. He will, however, avail himself of opportunities offered him to visit, as arranged, various manufacturing industries in the Midlands, Lancashire, and Yorkshire."

Commander C. B. Fry was unanimously chosen Liberal candidate for the Banbury Division of Oxfordshire, at a meeting of the Liberal Council last night, and promised to give his decision to-day.

In view of the general election, opinion in Kilmarnock Division is that there will be no by-election.

W. J. C. Davies, National Liberal member for Denbigh Division, is not seeking re-election, and is resuming the directorship of education for Denbighshire.

NO SURPRISE.

LABOUR AND THE ISSUE.

(PRESS ASSOCIATION TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Tuesday.

The announcement by the Prime Minister of the immediate dissolution of Parliament took nobody at Westminster by surprise. It was common knowledge, when the members reassembled to-day, that the autumn sitting was destined to be one of the shortest on record. According to present arrangements, the prorogation of Parliament, as well as the debate on the Vote of Censure, of which notice has been given by the Labour Party, will take place on Thursday. There will be a King's Speech, read by commission, and the usual formalities of the closing of the session.

The Dissolution Council will be held on Friday morning, and the writs for the summoning of the new Parliament will be sent out forthwith. The intervals between the issue of the writs, the nomination day, and the polling are fixed by statute.

The dates will be:—

Nominations, Monday, November 26th.

Polling day, Thursday, December 6th.

The reunion of the Liberal Party, brought about at this morning's conference, is cordially welcomed by members of both sections. Immediate action is being taken to put into effect the decision of the leaders. Instructions have been sent to agents of both groups throughout the country, directing them to take, without delay, what steps are necessary to ensure the closest co-operation between the hitherto rival organisations, for the purpose of the coming contest.

The policy for which the Government seeks the approval of the electors will be explained in detail in Mr. Baldwin's speech during Thursday's debate.

The Prime Minister's address to his constituents will be published at the end of the week.

The Labour Party has in preparation a manifesto which will be issued in the course of a few days. It will contrast the Government proposals with the Labour scheme for dealing with the unemployment problem.

A slight change of Parliamentary plans was made to-night, according to which the prorogation will take place on Friday morning, and will be followed, as before arranged, by the Dissolution Council at Buckingham Palace.

LABOUR VOTE OF CENSURE.

ALLEGATIONS OF SELF-INTEREST.

The vote of censure of the Government by the Labour Party was placed on the paper to-night in the names of Mr. Ramsay Macdonald and Mr. Clynes. It is as follows:—

"UNEMPLOYMENT, TRADE AND TARIFFS.

"That this House censures the neglect of His Majesty's Government to deal with the pressing needs of the unemployed; regrets its failure to devise and pursue a national policy calculated to restore the influence of the country abroad and re-establish international peace and trade; condemns the decision to leave millions of British people in want, in order to fight an election on an undisclosed scheme of tariffs and Imperial preference, conceived by sections of capitalists in their own interests, the effect of which must be to increase the cost of living and encourage the formation of anti-social trusts and combines."

GOVERNMENT WHIP.

The following three-lined whip has been issued to supporters of the Government:—

"On Wednesday, 14th November, the House will meet at 2.45 p.m. Workmen's Compensation Bill, remaining stages. Your attendance by 3.15 p.m. is particularly requested.

"B. EYRES MONSELL.

"NOTE.—Members are urgently requested to be in constant attendance at the House until Thursday night."

MARCHING TO THE GRAVE.

MR. CHURCHILL'S VIEW.

Proposing "The Houses of Parliament," at a dinner of the Coal Trades Benevolent Association in London last night, Mr. Churchill said that the representative Assembly—the House of Commons—was marching silently and docilely to execution, blindfolded. The tranquillity which it sought it had found only in the grave. He was sure it was a very well-meaning Parliament, and it might have settled all sorts of difficult questions; but, instead, it had committed hari-kari, and it was no more.

Although they saw on the Continent one Parliamentary system after another which the nineteenth century so hopefully and so laboriously built up swept away by revolutionary thrusts, or by the Mussolini touch, he still hoped that in Britain, the home of Parliamentary institutions, of government by talking, by parley, by argument, by reason, by fair play, Parliamentary institutions would be preserved with renewed and revivified strength, and still hold up the lamp of constitutional, legalised authority, expressed through the medium of rational communication.

BY-ELECTION CANCELLED.

The Returning Officer for Warwick and Leamington has received a telegram from the Home Office, cancelling the by-election arrangements, in view of the general election. Yesterday's nominations are accordingly cancelled.

Although official figures are not likely to be completed for a few days, it is understood the Labour Party will have four hundred candidates in the electoral field. Our machinery is ready for setting in full motion, said one of the party organisers, and in no instance is Labour likely to be caught napping. Most of the sitting Labour members will probably seek re-election. A notable exception is Mr. John Hodge, who, after representing the Gorton Division of Lancashire for seventeen years, has intimated his desire to be relieved of his Parliamentary duties, to enable him to devote his energies mainly to the industrial side of the trade union movement. Mr. Hodge is President of the Iron and Steel Trades Confederation, one of the largest and most influential organisations of its kind.

IN SENATE AND DAIL.

NEW LEGISLATION AND PERSONNEL.

EFFECT OF BRITISH ELECTIONS.

FROM OUR POLITICAL CORRESPONDENT.

The Senate of the Irish Free State will be faced to-day with the duty of making arrangements for the filling of the first two vacancies that have occurred in its membership since it came into being on the 10th of December, 1922.

Every person will regret that Sir Horace Plunkett finds it necessary, owing to the state of his health, to retire from active participation in the public life of Ireland, where he has been so conspicuous and so useful a personality for more than thirty years. All Dublin citizens who knew the late Senator MacPartlin respected him for his high character in the ranks of the working classes, a respect which they testified in a striking way in regard to his tragically sudden death in Switzerland.

According to the Constitution of the Free State the first Senate shall consist of sixty members, of whom thirty shall be elected, and thirty shall be nominated. The thirty nominated members have been nominated by the President of the Executive Council, who, in making the nomination, was bound to have special regard to the providing of representation for groups or parties not then adequately represented in the Dail. Of the thirty nominated members, fifteen, to be selected by lot, shall hold office for the full period of twelve years, the remaining fifteen to hold office for the period of six years. Of the thirty elected members, the first fifteen elected shall hold office for nine years, the remaining fifteen to hold office for three years.

At the termination of the period of office of any such members, others must be elected in their place in accordance with Article 32 of the Constitution, which says:—"One-fourth of the members of Seanad Eireann shall be elected every three years from a panel, and the area of jurisdiction of the Irish Free State shall form one electoral area, and the elections shall be held on the principles of proportional representation."

In case of the death, resignation, or disqualification of a member, his place shall be filled by a vote of the Senate; and any member so chosen shall retire from office at the conclusion of the three years' period then running.

THE BRITISH GENERAL ELECTION.

The General Election in Great Britain is not without interest in Ireland, North and South. There are ten constituencies in Northern Ireland, which return thirteen members to the Imperial Parliament. These constituencies and their representatives are:—

County Antrim—Right Hon. Robert O'Neill, Captain Charles Craig.

County Armagh—Lieut.-Colonel Sir J. W. Allen.

Queen's University, Belfast—Sir William Whitla.

Belfast East—Captain H. Dixon.

Belfast, North—Mr. T. E. McConnell.

Belfast, South—Mr. Thomas Moles.

Belfast, West—Mr. R. J. Lynn.

County Down—Major-General Rev. J. M. Simms and Mr. D. D. Reid.

Fermanagh County and Tyrone County—Mr. T. J. S. Harbinson, Mr. Cahir Healy.

Londonderry County — Hon. Sir M. Macnaughton.

Mr. Cahir Healy is a prisoner on board the ship, Argenta, in Larne Harbour.

The result of the election will have a considerable effect upon the boundary question. Only fourteen months ago the joint constituency of Tyrone and Fermanagh returned two anti-Partition representatives. That return has had little or no effect upon the Northern Parliament. All Ireland will await with keen interest the result of the coming election, and the vote of Fermanagh and Tyrone, and of areas such as Derry and South Down cannot be disregarded by the Boundary Commission. Indeed, it may be said that the election in Northern Ireland will be fought on the boundary question.

NEW LEGISLATION.

When the Dail assembles to-day it will enter upon a big programme of legislation. First, there are 34 questions to be answered by Ministers. Among the questions is one by Alderman Alfred Byrne, who wants to know from the Minister for Finance whether, before reducing the old age pensions allowance, he will appoint a committee to consider the matter, and whether the advantages to be gained by the reduction are not out-weighed by the great hardship it will inflict on thousands of deserving pensioners.

Questions relating to income tax and the refund of overcharge stand in the names of Mr. P. W. Shaw and Mr. John J. Cole.

The House will be asked to consider the first stages of a Fisheries Bill, a Local Government Electors Registration Bill, a Local Elections Postponement Bill, a Gaming Bill.

The report of the Joint Committee on Private Bill procedure, a summary of which is given in another column, will be laid on the table.

Other business mentioned in the Orders of the Day includes the second reading of the Ministries Bill, the second reading of the Civil Service Regulations Bill, and the adjourned debate on the Governor-General's Address.

CURFEW IN ULSTER.

MEMBERS OPPOSE ITS WITHDRAWAL.

In Northern House of Commons yesterday, Colonel Woods asked the Minister of Home Affairs if he would now consider the desirability of withdrawing the Curfew Order in peaceful areas.

The Minister of Home Affairs replied that the Curfew Order would be withdrawn as soon as it was considered safe to do so. If the Curfew were withdrawn from areas which are peaceful at present, criminals from other areas would resort to those where the Curfew was withdrawn and where, as a consequence, their movements would be less restricted.

Colonel Woods raised the question upon the motion for the adjournment. He said that nowhere in the civilised world was there the same restrictions upon freedom which existed in Northern Ireland under the Curfew and other Acts. He knew of at least two cases where children died because the fathers could not go for a doctor during Curfew hours.

Mr. McGuffin and Mr. Coote were in favour of continuing the Curfew regulations. Mr. Coote said that all ordinary people were satisfied that the Curfew should come into operation at midnight. They were particularly grateful for the Curfew in Tyrone and Fermanagh, and since its introduction there was no more peaceful part of Great Britain and Ireland than the six counties.

Dr. Morrison said that he thought that the Curfew should come into operation at eleven o'clock in country districts.

Mr. Cooper agreed, and suggested that motor cars should be stopped and searched from ten o'clock each night.

The Minister for Home Affairs said that the only ground for complaint that had been submitted was that doctors were frequently stopped and their permits examined. He (Sir Dawson Bates) was stopped eight times one night, and the Attorney-General fifteen times. (Laughter.) The Government believed that the time had not yet arrived to remove the Curfew restrictions.

The Committee stage of the Trade Boards Bill was considered and progress was reported.

THE SUMMER-TIME ACT.

In the Northern Senate Mr. Leslie moved an amendment in committee stage of Expiring Laws Continuance Bill leaving out of the bill the Summer Time Act. It was not, he said, the general desire in country districts that Summer Time should be continued annually.

Lord Londonderry, on behalf of the Government, declined to accept the amendment, but suggested that if the hon. member brought forward a private member's bill next session he would undertake to use his influence to see that the matter would be discussed in the Northern Parliament.

Mr. Leslie withdrew the amendment.

M. Milorad Raitchevitch, a correspondent of the Belgrade newspaper *Balkan*, who is walking through Africa, arrived at Johannesburg on Sunday, having come through Egypt, the Congo, and Rhodesia.

EX-KAISER AND HIS SON.

FRANCE ANXIOUS.

SURRENDER MAY BE DEMANDED.

BRITISH LEAD WANTED

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
PARIS, Tuesday.

It is evident that a British decision in regard to the action to be taken to meet the situation in Germany is awaited with anxiety here.

The sense of danger caused by the return of the ex-Crown Prince is deepened to-day by reports that the ex-Kaiser is preparing to follow him, and the whole plot is discussed as foreshadowing the gravest perils to all the Allies and to Europe.

M. Cambon, in the conference of Ambassadors yesterday, strongly opposed the view taken in Herr Stresemann's Notes that it was impossible to prevent the return of the ex-Crown Prince, and invoked the article of the Peace Treaty providing for the delivery to the Allied Powers of any person charged with acts contrary to the laws of war who may be designated by the Governments.

The German repudiation of responsibility for ensuring the safety of the Military Control Commission is even more seriously regarded. Both developments are discussed as parts of one problem, the neglect of which must affect especially the safety of all the States bordering on Germany.

Satisfaction or sanction is the general demand. What these might be was not suggested at the conference yesterday, and is not mentioned now.

The Reparations Commission met this afternoon, and decided to hear representatives of the German Government on the subject of Germany's resources and capacity. M. Barthou, whose proposal it was that Germany should be heard, at the same time gave notice to move for the appointment of a committee to ascertain Germany's capacity to pay in the years 1924, 1925 and 1926.

GERMANY'S RESOURCES.

REICH REPRESENTATIVES TO GIVE EVIDENCE.

PARIS, Tuesday.

The Reparation Commission has decided to hear German representatives at an early date. This decision was taken unanimously on the motion of M. Barthou. No restrictions were made. Germans are to be allowed to make a full statement as requested in the German Note of October 24 on the actual state of the resources and the capacity of Germany to pay, etc. The date of hearing has been left for arrangement between the Secretary-General of the Reparations Commission and the Kriegslasten Kommission, who will be asked to name the earliest date convenient, which, it is thought, will not be before next week.

M. Barthou informed the Commission that he intended, after hearing the Germans, to propose the appointment by the Commission of a Committee of Experts of Allied and associated nationalities to discuss Germany's present capacity to pay, and to furnish the Commission with data, on which should be based the fixation of the German payments for 1924-5 and 1926. The experts, he said, should study Germany's resources at home and abroad, especially the latter.

M. Barthou emphasised that he did not desire a discussion on this scheme at present. He had merely notified his colleagues of his future policy.

SIR J. BRADBURY'S DOUBTS.

Replying to M. Barthou, Sir John Bradbury said that he agreed that the Germans should be heard, because this was provided for in the Treaty, but he expressed the gravest doubts whether, after the events of the past eleven months, the machinery of Part 8 of the Treaty had not been so completely compromised as to become incapable of functioning.

As regards M. Barthou's scheme for a Committee of Experts, Sir John Bradbury said that while withholding judgment pending the hearing of the Germans, he feared that the scheme was too restricted.

It is understood that the Belgian and Italian delegates and the American observer did not express any views.—(Reuter.)

NOTHING OFFICIAL IN LONDON.

Reuter's Agency understands that so far nothing has been received from Paris relative to M. Poincaré's proposal that the Reparations Commission should nominate a Committee of Experts to determine Germany's capacity for payment. It is, therefore, felt to be too early to offer any comment as to the British attitude to such a proposal, or as to the prospects of its success.

EX-CROWN PRINCE IN GERMANY.

OFFICIALLY INFORMED OF ALLIES' PROTESTS.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
OELS, SILESIA, Tuesday.

The ex-Crown Prince arrived at Oels at 6 o'clock this evening.

Through the special favour of the ex-Crown Princess, I was permitted earlier in the day to enter the big workroom in the Schloss Oels, which had been prepared as the ex-Crown Prince's study. Here I found everything prepared for his welcome home.

It is a simple room, high-ceilinged, and with immense windows overlooking the court. Its oak desk and oak table were covered with baskets and cases of flowers sent to grace the homecoming. Other flowers stood in vases before the plainly elegant bookcases, which recently have been filled with the ex-Crown Prince's favourite books. Among them were several new philosophical and historical works in English, as well as English works in a lighter vein. Wilhelm speaks English perfectly, without a trace of accent. He is very fond of the better-known British and American authors.

Among the floral tributes was an immense basket of chrysanthemums from the King of Saxony, which almost filled one corner of the chamber.

From circles close to the Castle I learn that the ex-Crown Prince was informed by the German Government yesterday that the Allies, particularly France, have made strong protests to the Chancellor, Herr Stresemann, against his return to German soil, even threatening to demand his delivery as one of the war criminals.

EX-KAISER MYSTERY.

BERLIN DENIES THAT HE RECEIVED PASSPORTS.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
AMSTERDAM, Tuesday.

From Berlin it is officially denied that the German Government has handed passports to the ex-Kaiser, authorising him to return to the Fatherland. It is not believed that the ex-Monarch will leave Holland. The reason for the visit to Doon of M. Kan, the Dutch official, was not revealed, but M. Kan has visited the ex-Kaiser on numerous occasions.

BERLIN, Tuesday.

It is officially stated that the reports circulated in the foreign Press to the effect that the ex-Kaiser has been given permission by the German Government to return to Germany are untrue.—(Reuter.)

INDIANS IN SOUTH AFRICA.

GENERAL SMUTS'S POLICY CONDEMNED.

DELEGATE ON FUTURE DIFFICULTIES.

Sir Tej Bahadur Sapru leaves for India to-morrow, after attending the meetings of the Imperial Conference. Interviewed yesterday as to the results of his work in London, Sir Tej said:—"Briefly put, all the Dominions, except South Africa, have agreed to give effect to the resolution of 1921, while His Majesty's Government has similarly agreed in regard to the Crown Colonies. In spite of my repeated interviews with General Smuts, however, I failed completely with him. I suggested to him that, independently of the resolution of 1921, he should join hands with the Government of India in seeking a solution of the Indian problem in South Africa. He flatly refused. I raised questions as to Indian rights of trading, occupation of land in township areas, and the reception of a diplomatic agent on behalf of the Government of India for the protection of Indian Nationals in South Africa to act as intermediary between the Indian and Union Governments, and to make reports to the Government of India regarding the situation in South Africa. General Smuts made no statement whatever on any one of these questions. Throughout my conversations with him, excepting for a very brief period, I found him adamant.

"I think he heaped insult on the Government of India, and, though he stands forth as the champion of the unity of the British Empire, in my opinion he has done more harm to it than anyone else by his attitude of obstinacy towards India.

"I am willing to make full allowance for the party politics of South Africa, but I do think it is the duty of a leader and statesman to guide and control public opinion, and not merely to succumb to it.

TREMENDOUS FEELING IN INDIA.

"As regards the future, I have no right to commit the Government of India to any policy, but I have every reason to believe that they are alive to the urgency of the situation, and I cannot see how they can possibly refuse to associate themselves entirely with Indian sentiment on this question. So far as the people of India are concerned, they are not going to accept the sophisticated argument of General Smuts, and I am afraid that there will be tremendous feeling in India on the question of the position of Indians in South Africa.

"Until I have gone back to India and talked with my friends in public life, and with the Government of India, I do not wish to say anything as to the policy which will be adopted, but one thing quite clear to my mind is that the policy of General Smuts is going to lead to very serious results.

"India may not be self-governing yet, but it is a much stronger and more united India to-day than it was a few years ago.

"It is also clear that there is going to be no peace between the two units of the British Empire. However independent South Africa may be, I can foresee a stage being reached at no distant date when the question will cease to be a question of domestic policy, and will become a grave question of foreign policy.

UNITED EMPIRE IMPOSSIBLE.

"The reality of the situation in South Africa is scarcely realised by the English nation at present, but I have little doubt that those who honestly believe in a united Empire will much sooner than later realise it. It is possible that, even then, General Smuts may defy all public opinion, English and Indian, to the contrary, but if he does so he will furnish a curious comment upon his own conduct as a champion of a united Empire and a harbinger of peace in the world.

"On the other hand, I have every reason to feel gratified with the attitude of the other Dominion Prime Ministers, and also with regard to the Colonial Office, which treated me well in regard to Kenya, for the door which seemed to be bolted against us in July has been reopened.

"I have also received the greatest support from Lord Peel, Lord Reading, and other statesmen, and, on the eve of my departure, I desire to convey to them publicly my thanks."

QUESTION OF RE-OPENING CROSS-CHANNEL PORTS.

BRITISH AUTHORITIES SILENT.

We were informed by the Department of Agriculture late last night that no word had been received from the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries in London with regard to re-opening British ports for the import of Irish cattle.

Two officials of the Free State Department of Agriculture went to London last night to interview the authorities there.

FRESH OUTBREAKS.

FIRST APPEARANCE OF THE DISEASE IN KENT.

The Ministry of Agriculture (England) announces that foot-and-mouth disease has been confirmed on premises at St. Nicholas, Wade, Birchington, Kent, a county hitherto free from the disease, and the usual order has been made prohibiting movement of cattle, etc., out of or within the area within a radius of 15 miles from the premises.

New outbreaks at Underhill, near Eversham, Gloucestershire, and at Glenfarg, Perthshire, have necessitated extensions of the prohibited areas in those districts.

"POSITION SERIOUS."

STATEMENT IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS.

In the House of Commons yesterday, Sir Robert Sanders, replying to Sir Douglas Newton, said that the present series of outbreaks of foot-and-mouth disease commenced on August 27, since when, and up to the 12th of November, 29 separate centres, involving 245 different farms, had become infected.

Seven of these centres were the outcome of infection contracted from two of the other centres, leaving 22, which appeared to be separate invasions. The 245 infected farms were in 17 counties in England, two in Wales, and six in Scotland. Seventy-nine of the outbreaks had occurred since October 31.

In eleven of the centres the disease had been eradicated, and the restrictions had been entirely withdrawn from seven. The position continued to be serious on account of the continued occurrence of outbreaks in new centres. Search had been made in all directions for a possible source of these repeated invasions, but so far without positive result.

ILLNESS OF SIR JAMES BARRIE.

We learn that Sir James Barrie is suffering from a serious breakdown in health. He is in the care of Sir Douglas Shields, the surgeon, in a Park lane nursing home.

MR. JUSTICE DARLING'S SUCCESSOR.

It is officially announced that the King has approved the appointment of Mr. G. J. Talbot, K.C., to be a Judge of the High Court of Justice, King's Bench Division, London, in room of the Right Hon. Sir Charles Darling, resigned. A son of the late Right Hon. J. G. Talbot, for many years one of the members for Oxford University, the new judge is 62 years of age. He is standing counsel to the University, and Chancellor of Lincoln, Ely, Lichfield, Southwark, and Winchester Dioceses.

TO-DAY'S LONDON PAPERS.

THE DISSOLUTION.

CLEARING FOR ACTION.

The Times, in a leading article upon the speech of the Prime Minister in the House of Commons yesterday, observes:—Mr. Baldwin's statement, which is to be amplified to-morrow, showed something of the same qualities which had just been commemorated in his predecessor. He justifies his conduct on the same moral grounds, and with the same reassuring frankness. He is going to the country because he is convinced that his policy is the right policy, and because this conviction is so strong upon him that he feels he could not have undertaken to remain Prime Minister and to "attempt to steer the country through the winter of 1924-25" without an instrument which the pledge inherited from Mr. Bonar Law forbids him to use. "My only course, as an honest man," he declares—not for the first time—"was to place my views before the country and to take my chance." If he obtains the mandate for which he asks, he wants to obtain it soon enough to enable him to incorporate the measures which he believes to be necessary in the Budget for next year. That is the consideration which, in his view, has made an early dissolution indispensable.

The most satisfactory feature of the Prime Minister's brief statement is that it appears to concentrate on release from the pledge as the main issue to be placed before the electorate. The more he insists upon that one point the better. There are already signs that even Unionist Free Traders, for instance in Lancashire, are ready to support him thus far, while reserving their right to oppose him afterwards on specific proposals should he use his freedom in ways of which they disapprove. The truth is that the country at large has an open mind on the whole question of protection. It feels every day that it is living in new conditions to which the arguments of twenty years ago no longer apply. It is at the least ready for inquiry, for tentative experiment. Thousands of people who agree with Labour in nothing else will agree with Mr. Jack Jones that the Prime Minister is, at all events, living up to his professions, and that if he gets the mandate he desires, he will have earned his success.

THE CAPITAL LEVY.

MR. SNOWDEN'S ADMISSION.

Mr. Snowden, referring on Monday night to the policy of a levy on capital, said that the time for proposing such a measure was not so favourable to-day as it would have been three or four years ago. It was an honest and, in the present circumstances of his party, a courageous thing to say, remarks *The Times* editorially. There is no need to force his words beyond their meaning. Mr. Snowden is a strong Labour man. He was in the years that immediately followed the war a supporter of the capital levy, and it may be assumed that he is still an adherent to it in principle. But he realises that the conditions to which that principle might have been applied four years ago are altogether different from those to which, if the Labour Party were successful at the polls, it would have to be applied to-day. Then there was an almost universal agreement that a levy on war profits and inflated values was at least a matter for argument, if it were practicable. To meet a part of the National Debt by an exceptional tax in such exceptional circumstances, seemed both just and expedient. Because it was exceptional and non-recurring, because it was addressed to a single, strictly limited purpose, it need not have shaken public confidence or endangered national credit. To-day the proposal of Labour, its object, and its circumstance, are altogether different from that limited proposal. Mr. Ramsay Macdonald makes no suggestion that the levy should be for once, and once only. He puts it forward with a vague gesture as a general alternative to any continuous and constructive policy. If trade is to be built up again on a solid foundation, if men are to risk new capital in new enterprises, and create new demands for labour, a feeling of security is the first essential.

LIBERAL REUNION.

MR. LLOYD GEORGE'S POLICY.

The Times Parliamentary Correspondent, writing in regard to the achievement of Liberal reunion at the conference in London yesterday, states:—During the evening Mr. Lloyd George addressed a meeting of his National Liberal followers, and explained to them in detail the result of the deliberations which had taken place. There were nearly fifty members present, and they unanimously endorsed the action taken by Mr. Lloyd George. It need not be anticipated, therefore, that many members of the party will cross the floor of the House, though it is possible that some of them may decide not to stand again in view of the altered conditions. Up to a late hour last night there had been no further communication between the Prime Minister and Lord Birkenhead and Mr. Austen Chamberlain, so that the question of their co-operation still remains open.

There is no doubt that the immediate inclusion of Mr. Austen Chamberlain in the Ministry would be generally welcomed, but equally there is no disguising the fact that all the Prime Minister's colleagues are not in favour of Lord Birkenhead's inclusion at this juncture. They argue that his recent rectorial address in Glasgow created an unfortunate impression in the minds of many electors. On the other hand, there is in many quarters a strong desire that Lord Birkenhead should assist the Government in its battle in Lancashire, particularly if Mr. Winston Churchill contests a Manchester seat.

CLAIM AGAINST THE CROWN.

IRISH RAILWAY COMPANY'S PETITION.

The hearing was begun in the King's Bench Division, London, yesterday, before Mr. Justice Rowlatt, of a petition of right presented against the Crown by the Great Southern and Western Railway Company of Ireland, whose offices are at Kingsbridge terminus, Dublin.

Sir John Simon, K.C., for the suppliants, stated that in March, 1917, as the result of a meeting at the Board of Trade, it was agreed that, in consideration of suppliants taking up rails and sleepers on their lines between Athy and Carlow, and transferring them to the Board of Trade for making a railway between Athy and Wolfhill Collieries, the Board of Trade would pay the cost of replacement and of alterations to stations at Athy, Mageney and Carlow, necessitated by the working of the system as a single, instead of a double, line. It was further agreed in a similar way that rails should be taken up between Athy and Cherryville Junction, and used for a line to Castlecomer, and that the Board of Trade should pay the cost of replacement and of alterations to stations at Cherryville, Kildangan and Athy. The suppliants duly performed the agreements, but the Crown had denied liability, and it was now pleaded that, by virtue of the Irish Free State (Agreement) Act and the Provisional Government (Transfer of Functions) Order, the liability was transferred to the Ministry of Economic Affairs of the Provisional Government of Ireland.

Sir John Simon said that he would contend that no Irish legislation could intervene to take away the liability of agreements made with a British official department. There was also a plea by the Crown that the lines had not been relaid, but counsel contended that the claim was in no way premature, as the suppliants' rights under the agreement had fully accrued.

The hearing was adjourned.

FORMER DUKE OF CUMBERLAND SERIOUSLY ILL.

VIENNA, Tuesday.

A telegram to the *Neue Freie Presse* from Gmunden, the family seat of the Brunswick Luneburg family, states that the Duke Ernest of Brunswick, formerly known as the Duke of Cumberland, has had a stroke of apoplexy, and that his condition is grave. The Duke's English title was taken from him during the war.—(Reuter.)

DISSOLUTION.

PROTESTS IN THE COMMONS.

MR. LAW'S DEATH.

TRIBUTES FROM ALL PARTIES.

FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.
LONDON, Tuesday.

Although members came back to Westminster to-day knowing that the present House of Commons was under sentence of death, they displayed a cheery and occasionally an obstreperous demeanour. Floor and galleries were well filled with members, who greeted and chaffed one another with great heartiness until the time came for prayers.

Much curiosity was aroused by Lord Ednam's appearance in a wonderful embroidered yellow and black garment—half waistcoat, half jumper. He has lately had an accident and broken his collar-bone, and this was his way of advertising his injury and preventing his fellow-members from bumping into him.

Shortly after three o'clock the Prime Minister came in, amid salvoes of applause from his followers, which caused a Labour member to advise them to "cheer on December 6" (the anticipated date for the election). The cheers and counter-cheers were renewed when the brothers Chamberlain took their respective places, and again when Mr. Asquith entered from behind the Speaker's chair, to be followed a few moments later by Mr. Lloyd George, who, however, entered by way of the Bar.

After an interlude, during which the three members elected during the adjournment took their seats (which they will have to resign on Friday), Mr. Baldwin rose to pronounce a eulogy on Mr. Bonar Law—"a very great leader." The Prime Minister made no attempt at exalted oratory, but his speech was full of intimate personal touches, such as his account of Mr. Law's courage during the air raids, and these went right home to the heart of the House.

Mr. Ramsay Macdonald followed with a rather more ceremonial tribute, but admirably phrased and obviously sincere. "A man of conspicuous loyalty to his convictions, a dependable friend, and an upright opponent," was his description of the dead statesman. Mr. Asquith referred to his unique powers of debate. "He leaves behind him an unstained record and a gap in our ranks which it will be difficult, if not impossible, to fill."

Recalling the storms they had weathered in company during the war, Mr. Lloyd George said that no one could wish for a more loyal, steadfast, and sagacious shipmate—"even his pessimism was attractive." Mr. T. P. O'Connor, as the sole survivor of the Nationalist Party, added his tribute to "an honest opponent."

The note of controversy was soon heard after the Prime Minister had announced his advice to the Crown to dissolve Parliament on Friday next. The only business to be taken (by arrangement with the Leader of the Opposition) would be the Workmen's Compensation Bill, followed on Thursday by a debate on the virtual vote of censure, of which Mr. Macdonald had given notice.

Mr. Pringle drew attention to the unexampled and unconstitutional situation by which the Premier and the Labour Leader had deprived Parliament of its right of criticism, and thereby fell foul of Mr. Macdonald's henchmen, who made the rest of his speech almost inaudible with their running comments. A racy little speech followed from Mr. Jack Jones, who began by observing "I am not a lawyer, therefore I cannot tell the truth," and went on to say that he was in favour of Protection—(Conservative cheers)—"but not your sort of Protection."

Mr. Asquith echoed Mr. Pringle's protest, but more politely; whereupon Mr. Austen Chamberlain called attention to the ridiculous spectacle of an Opposition leader denouncing a Government for appealing to the country. Labour's comment on Mr. Chamberlain's intervention was "You'll get a job all right."

Sir Alfred Mond started off with a great attack upon the Government policy of "canned lobsters and currants," but very soon he, too, came in for Labour's gibes, and, after roaring like a lion, he ended by bleating like a lamb.

With the knowledge that, whatever happened in the meantime, the dissolution was inevitable on Friday, members took but a languid interest in the Workmen's Compensation Bill, which was the one measure which the Government deemed necessary to carry before an appeal to the country.

The answers to the few questions which were put after the House had met occupied only a short time.

Sir R. Sanders informed Mr. Graham White that the number of Canadian cattle landed in Great Britain from April 1st to October 31st was 33,044, of which 26,144 were consigned as store cattle.

GOVERNMENT MOTION.

LIBERAL AND LABOUR PROTESTS.

Mr. Baldwin then moved his procedure motion. His speech will be found in the election news on page 5.

Mr. Ramsay Macdonald, who followed, said that under the circumstances he would not oppose the Government motion. He and his party wished to see the Workmen's Compensation Bill placed on the Statute Book, and they would help in the progress of that measure. They could discuss the more controversial questions of the Government policy on Thursday.

Dr. Macnamara said that he wished to know whether an opportunity would be given on Thursday of discussing in detail the Government schemes for finding work for the unemployed this winter.

Mr. Pringle said that he thought the situation was without parallel. The official leader of the Opposition was consenting to his own suicide, without attempting to secure any discussion of the conditions under which his life was to be brought to an end. There ought to be a full Parliamentary discussion of the reasons for the election, which was now inevitable, and one day was wholly inadequate for that purpose. The House and the country should be told what the Government policy was.

Mr. J. Jones said that the Labour Party was out to fight the issue. The question of Free Trade versus Protection was a dead and gone gospel. He objected to the Christ of Labour being any longer crucified between two thieves. (Hear, hear, and laughter.)

MR. ASQUITH'S DENUNCIATION.

Mr. Asquith dissociated himself and the Liberal Party from any arrangement to debate the large matters at issue, on the motion to be taken on Thursday. He objected to the curtailment of the debate on one of the greatest constitutional issues that had been presented in his time, which apparently was to be limited to one day. There was no reason or necessity for such an arrangement. (Liberal cheers.) He declared that to rush a General Election on such an issue, and to attempt to prevent the House of Commons

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from discussing the matter at adequate length, was an indication that the Government were afraid—(loud Opposition cheers)—to expose their policy to full and free discussion on the platform and on the floor of the House. (Opposition cheers.) What killed the Protectionist movement of twenty years ago was full and free discussion, and he had no doubt that the present movement would succumb, and finally, to a similar process. (Opposition cheers.)

The course proposed by the Government was universally condemned by the whole business world. It was paralysing business, and depressing not only the Stock Exchange, but all those who were entering into commitments of any sort or kind, and that from a Government which came into office on the plea of tranquillity. (Hear, hear.) He could see no other motive for such a profound and disastrous disturbance of the whole social and commercial life of the country than the desire to coerce the electors into a premature and uninformed decision on the Government proposals. (Opposition cheers.) Why should Parliament be dissolved on Friday? Surely, on an issue so vital to the prosperity of the country the decision could easily be deferred a week later. He protested against this attempt to rush a decision and curtail discussion in the House as one of the greatest outrages he had ever known in our constitutional history. (Opposition cheers.)

MR. CHAMBERLAIN'S REPLY.

Mr. Chamberlain said that Mr. Asquith must know that the Prime Minister had no choice but to appeal to the country at the earliest possible moment. After the Plymouth speech no honest man could continue to be responsible for the Government of the country without seeking the authority of the country to carry out his policy. It was impossible for any Government to continue the business of the country satisfactorily in a House of Commons that was under sentence of Parliamentary extinction. (Ministerial cheers.) It was the duty of the Government, having regard to their own credit, and the interests of the country to take the decision as quickly as possible. (Ministerial cheers.)

CANNED LOBSTER AND CURRANTS.

Sir A. Mond congratulated the Government on the accession of Mr. Austen Chamberlain. It was an unexampled situation, and on an issue of such importance to the commerce and prosperity of the country the House of Commons was to have no opportunity of challenging Ministers on the floor of the House, and calling upon them to explain what their wonderful scheme was. (Hear, hear.) They were to be presented with a pig in a poke, and were not to be told whether duties were to be imposed only on canned lobster and currants, or whether the duties were to be on a wider scale.

Sir John Butcher asked the Prime Minister to give facilities to the Pensions Bill.

Sir John Simon contended that the reason why the Government had fixed on December 6 as the date of the election rather than a week later was because of their desire to shut out any explanation of their proposals from the House of Commons. (Opposition cheers.) The declarations of Ministers were in flagrant contradiction of each other. He asked whether they were going to get before Parliament was dissolved a businesslike statement as to the range of the import duties which the Prime Minister thought was the only cure for unemployment. (Hear, hear.)

MR. BALDWIN'S PROMISE.

Mr. Baldwin, replying on the discussion, said that he would take care that one of the Ministers gave full information about work for the unemployed this winter. The debate bore a strong family resemblance to previous debates. There was a similar debate in 1910.

Mr. Pringle—The bill on which the election of 1910 took place was already in express terms before the House and country.

Mr. Baldwin said that what he meant was that charges were then hurled against the Government for bringing to an untimely end a Parliament which had lasted only twelve months. He had given all the available time that he had, instead of doing what he had the power to do—dissolve at once—because he was anxious to get the Workmen's Compensation Bill and have a full day's discussion. He did not think that the country was quite so uninstructed or illiterate as Sir John Simon would have them suppose. He would give the House as much information as he was able on Thursday.

The House divided, and the motion was carried by 279 to 90.

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION.

IMPORTANT AMENDMENTS.

The Workmen's Compensation Bill, as amended in Committee, was considered on report.

The Home Secretary moved a new clause giving power to review weekly payments of compensation for an injury at the request either of the workman or of the employer in cases where there had been fluctuations in the rate of remuneration by more than 20 per cent.

The clause was agreed to.

The Home Secretary moved a new clause enabling partial incapacity to be treated as total incapacity in certain cases.

The clause, with some minor amendment, was agreed to.

Mr. Tom Smith moved a clause raising the minimum compensation in fatal cases from £150 to £250.

Mr. Bridgeman eventually agreed to the minimum being raised to £200, and in this form the clause was carried.

A SMALL MAJORITY.

On a clause moved by Mr. T. Griffiths extending the Act to "any disease or affliction of the eye attributable to or aggravated by the employment," the Government majority fell to 11, the number voting for the clause being 176 to 187 against.

On Clause 2, which increases the amount payable in respect of children left by a workman who had been killed, Mr. T. Smith moved an amendment fixing the minimum sum at 3s. per week per child.

Mr. Bridgeman accepted the amendment, which was agreed to.

Mr. Gavan Duffy moved an amendment to Clause 3 providing that an injured workman shall receive two-thirds of his average earnings instead of one-half as compensation.

The Home Secretary said that he was bound to resist the amendment, because it would put much too serious a charge on industry in present circumstances.

Mr. J. H. Thomas supported the amendment, remarking that if the Government's new policy came into effect there would be an increase in the cost of living. (Ministerial cries of "No.")

The amendment was defeated by 205 votes to 160.

The debate was adjourned, and the House adjourned at 11.6.

BEAUTIFUL BLOOMS.

CHRYSANTHEMUM SHOW AT MERRION ROAD.

Large numbers attended the exhibition of chrysanthemums in aid of Sir Patrick Dun's Hospital, which opened yesterday at The Moorings, Merrion road, the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John Good. A fine display of beautiful blooms is provided. Amongst the large exhibition varieties the deep velvety crimson of the "Mrs. Munro" variety, the chestnut bronze of the "Edith Cavell," the golden amber of "Majestic," and the delicately-shaded shell pink "General Petain" stand out prominently.

All varieties are staged in the centre house. Here there is a mass of bloom and a wealth of colour which charm the eye. Single varieties, so popular for cutting, are a feature in themselves. Some of the most notable are "Donald," a pale blush pink; "Phyllis Cooper," a beautiful golden yellow; "Queen Alexandra," a lovely pink, and "Vivian Morel," a light mauve pink.

The show is remarkable, considering the character of the season, and, apart from the worthy object for which it is held generously, is worthy of a visit. It will remain open until Saturday.

CHOTA NAGPUR MISSION.

A sale of work in aid of the funds of the Dublin University Mission to Chota Nagpur, will be held in the Molesworth Hall, Molesworth street, Dublin, this and to-morrow afternoons from one to six o'clock. Lunches will be served.

PORT AND DOCKS BOARD.
At September Exam. for Junior Clerkships in above Board, 44 Candidates competed. Mr. Augustus Horneck, a Student of SKERRY'S COLLEGE, 76 Stephen's Green, Dublin, obtained FIRST PLACE on First Trial.—(Advt.)

THE PRISONERS.

NATIONAL UNIVERSITY RESOLUTION.

CONVOCATION CALLS FOR RELEASES.

There was an animated discussion at the meeting in Dublin of Convocation of the National University of Ireland last evening, when the following resolution was proposed by Professor Arthur E. Clery, LL.D.:—

"That we associate ourselves with the other public bodies of the country in calling for the release of all political prisoners, including the Chancellor of the University, and many distinguished graduates."

Professor Clery declared that he had no desire to propose the resolution in strong and bitter language, and he certainly had no wish to increase the bitterness which existed at the present time. The feeling of every ordinary man or woman was that a return to normal life was necessary. Why was the normal life absent from Ireland? He ventured to say that it was owing to the enormous number of political prisoners in jail without trial. The Government maintained its majority by keeping the other members of the House out of it. That introduced a new system of politics, and the voice of the constituency could not be heard in the ordinary manner. There would be no permanent peace or happiness in Ireland until the prisoners were released. The question of their release bore the same relation to Ireland as did the Ruhr problem to the rest of Europe. In Ireland the people had lost somewhat their sense of humanity, as compared with that sense in other countries.

Miss Mary O'Kelly seconded the resolution.

AN AMENDMENT.

Mr. Tierney moved that Convocation proceed to the next business. He wished to prevent any bitterness or miserable squabbling interfering with their personal relations in the University. It had been one of the small comforts that one had during the last two years of miserable strife to reflect that within the University men and women could associate without paying attention to the political bitterness outside. Convocation had, during past years, carried on the business proper to the graduates of the University. It had not been disturbed by the logic of the street; it had done its own business, and had done it well. Convocation had never discussed general politics.

A Voice—It did.

Mr. Tierney said that if Professor Clery and Miss O'Kelly were anxious for the preservation of peace in the University, they would not intrude on the life of the University matter which did not concern it. "If your body passes this resolution," he said, "you are going in the teeth of the majority of the electors of the National University."

Mr. O'Duffy seconded the amendment. He supported it because he did not wish to have any acerbity in the University.

FEMALE MEMBERS' OPINIONS.

Miss McGrane declared that there were a number of graduates and students of the University in jail, and she considered that it would be very inhuman to pass by the resolution.

Miss Agnes O'Farrelly stated that it was quite unnecessary to introduce the resolution there. It could do the prisoners no good, but, on the other hand, it would do the University a great deal of harm.

Miss Mary Hayden supported this view.

The amendment was put to the meeting and lost.

A long discussion on the resolution followed. Mr. O'Duffy was told that he had been speaking too often, and he, in return, declared that the majority were out to deprive them of free speech.

The resolution was put to the meeting and declared carried.

Mrs. Sheehy-Skeffington—With the Publicity Department of the Free State dissenting.

UNIVERSITY FINANCE.

Mr. Tierney proposed—"That the representatives of the University in the Dail be requested to procure the annual publication, in a cheap and accessible form, of a full statement as to University finance in Ireland, showing for each composite institution (1) capital values in buildings, lands, and permanent equipment; (2) yearly income of all kinds, and its sources; (3) yearly expenditure, and its details as to salaries and otherwise; (4) actual attendance of University students, with their faculties, their standing, and the fees charged them."

Miss Agnes O'Farrelly seconded.

Mr. Tierney declared that within the next few years it would be decided whether the University would be a National University or whether it would sink to the *status* of a subordinate University. For that reason it was absolutely necessary that such information as was detailed in the resolution should be at their disposal.

The resolution was amended, the words "University finance in Ireland" being altered to University finance in Saorstat Eireann and Northern Ireland."

The amended resolution was then passed.

ALLEGATIONS IN WEXFORD.

At a special meeting of Wexford County Council a communication was received from the Wexford Prisoners' Defence Committee stating that after a public meeting held on Wednesday night of last week the gathering, accompanied by a waggonette, proceeded to the County Hall and recited prayers for the political prisoners. On their return the waggonette was attacked and one of the occupants was assaulted.

PRISONERS RELEASED.

Our Newbridge Correspondent states that the Mayor of Sligo was unconscious on Monday night, and that Brian O'Higgins was delirious. Thirty-four prisoners were released from the Curragh and Newbridge yesterday, many of whom were from Dublin.

DEATH OF AN INTERNED PRISONER.

A County Wexford prisoner, named Hume, who was interned at Tintown, Curragh Camp, died there on Sunday. He was not on hunger-strike, but had been in hospital since 28th September. The immediate cause of death was pernicious anæmia.

VOLUNTEER NURSES.

Miss Geraldine O'Donel, 24 Eccles street, Dublin, on the 9th inst. wrote to General Mulcahy asking for permission for a certain number of nurses who had volunteered to nurse prisoners on hunger-strike, to enter prisons to carry out this work.

General Mulcahy has telegraphed a reply stating:—"It is not proposed to accept offer."

Mrs. Despard and Madam Gonne MacBride, on behalf of the Prisoners' Defence Society, have addressed a letter to General G. O'Sullivan, Adjutant-General, pointing out the difficulty which arises in dealing with prisoners released from internment, owing to the Prisoners' Defence Society not receiving any previous notice. They ask that they may be informed in advance as to the number arriving on trains, so that they may be able to look after them.

MASONIC ORPHAN BOYS.

The half-yearly meeting of the Board of Governors of the Masonic Orphan Boys' School was held at the schoolhouse, Clonskeagh, on Tuesday, when the report of the scrutineers of the ballot for the admission of nine pupils from the following list of candidates was read:—

William A. Aiken, Francis Beamish, Eric W. Bell, William G. Best, Robert H. Bloomer, James A. Brown, William H. Donaldson, Charles F. K. Hackett, George Kilroe, John D. Knox, James McIlhagger, Hugh D. McMeekin, Gordon T. Myles, Desmond O'Neill, Geoffrey T. Rae, Sylvester G. Sparrow, Roland G. Taylor, Edward S. Thornton, Thomas G. Thornton, William Walker, Robert W. Whyte, John C. Wilson.

It was unanimously resolved that the nine candidates who obtained the highest number of votes be elected. Accordingly, Sylvester G. Sparrow (8,480), Geoffrey T. Rae (6,381), John C. Wilson (7,977), William Walker (5,984), Robert W. Whyte (5,749), Hugh D. McMeekin (5,053), Gordon T. Myles (4,372), Edward S. Thornton (4,313), James A. Brown (4,218) were declared duly elected pupils of the school.

It is announced in Paris that two regular air services will shortly be running in Cochin-China, the first between Saigon and the Western districts, and the second between Saigon and Prom-Penh.

PRIVATE BILL PROCEDURE.

STANDING ORDERS OF SENATE AND DAIL.

COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

The Joint Committee on Private Bill Procedure, which was set up by a resolution of the Dail on October 3rd, and of which Lord Glenavy is Chairman, has presented its report, which consists of draft Standing Orders of the Senate and the Dail.

Every bill promoted for the particular interest or benefit of any person or that interferes with the private property of any person, otherwise than in the interests of the public generally, and as a measure of public policy, shall be treated as a private bill.

There shall be an officer of the Oireachtas, to be called "The Examiner of Private Bills," hereinafter called the "Examiner," who shall be appointed by the Ceann Comhairle of the Dail and the Cathaoirleach of the Seanad jointly, and shall be paid such remuneration as they, with the consent of the Minister of Finance, shall approve. In all cases where application is intended to be made for leave to bring in a private bill (other than Citizenship, Estate and Name Bills), notice shall be given stating the main objects of such intended application, and the time at which copies of the bill will be deposited in the Private Bill Office, and such notice shall be subscribed with the name and address of the person, company, corporation, or firm by whom the application is to be made, and shall, in the months of October and November, or either of them, immediately preceding the application for a bill, but not later than the twenty-seventh day of November, be published once in the *Iris Oifigiúil* and once in each of two successive weeks, with an interval between such publications of not less than six clear days, in some newspaper or newspapers published or circulating in the area to which the application relates.

NOTICE TO OWNERS AND OCCUPIERS.

On or before the fifteenth day of December immediately preceding the application for a bill for power to take any lands, or houses compulsorily or for compulsory user of the same, or for an extension of the time granted by any former Act for that purpose, or to impose an improvement charge on any lands or houses, or to render any lands or houses liable to the imposition of an improvement charge, notice, in writing, of the application shall be given to the owners or reputed owners, lessees or reputed lessees, and occupiers of all such lands and houses, and such notice shall be, as nearly as may be, in the form set forth in the Appendix B to these Orders.

The 15th of December immediately preceding the application for a bill is the latest date named in nearly all cases as that upon which public notice must be given by the promoters; and the notices must be published and served in duplicate—one in Irish and the other English, and shall be served either by delivering the same personally to the party entitled to such notice, or leaving it at his usual place of abode, or with his agent or solicitor.

On or before the twenty-first day of December printed copies of the bill shall be deposited at the Ministries of Finance, Home Affairs, Local Government, Industry and Commerce, Agriculture, Education and Fisheries, and at the General Post Office; and on or before the 31st of December the estimate for any work required by the Standing Orders shall be deposited in the Private Bill Office, and with the principal officer of the Ministry of Local Government, or of the Ministry of Industry and Commerce, as the case may require

Arrangements are made as to proceedings in the House on a private bill prior to its being referred to a committee; bills promoted by companies and local authorities; charitable or educational institutions.

HOUSES OF THE WORKING CLASSES.

In the case of every bill which gives, revives, or extends power to take land compulsorily or by agreement, clauses shall be inserted providing that the promoters shall not, in the exercise of such power, purchase or acquire, in any local area, any house or houses occupied, either wholly or partially, by thirty or more persons belonging to the working class, as tenants or lodgers, unless and until they shall have obtained the approval of the central authority to a scheme for providing new dwellings for the persons residing in such houses, or for such number or proportion of such persons as the central authority shall, after inquiry, deem necessary, having regard to the number of persons residing in the houses liable to be taken, and working within one mile therefrom and to the amount of vacant suitable accommodation in the immediate neighbourhood of the houses liable to be taken, or to the place of employment of such persons, and all the other circumstances of the case; and they shall have given security to the central authority for the carrying out of the scheme.

PARLIAMENTARY AGENTS.

No person shall be allowed to act as a Parliamentary agent except a solicitor of five years' standing and duly qualified and entitled to practise as such solicitor in the Courts of the Saorstat Eireann. Every such solicitor shall subscribe a declaration before one of the clerks in the Private Bill Office, and after having subscribed such declaration, and entered into a recognisance or bond (if hereafter required) in the penal sum of £500, with two sureties of £250 each, to observe the said declaration, such person, if in other respects qualified to act as hereinafter provided, shall be registered in a book to be kept in the Private Bill Office, and shall then be entitled to act as a Parliamentary agent: provided that upon the said declaration, recognisance, or bond, and registry, no fee shall be payable.

The fee to be paid on deposit of a bill, plans or any other document is £5, and for every day on which the Examiner shall inquire into the compliance with the Standing Orders, £5. The fees for proceedings in the Senate are £5 each for the first, second, fourth and fifth stage, and in the Dail £15 on the fourth stage and £5 on the fifth, in the case of bills referred to Joint Committee.

In the case of bills referred to a Special Committee the fees in both Senate and Dail are £5 on each of the four stages.

For proceedings before any Committee, if the promoters of the bill appear by counsel, £10 per day; if they appear without counsel, £5 per day. Then there are smaller fees to be paid by opponents of a private bill, and for proceedings before the Examiner. For every day on which the Examiner shall inquire into any memorial complaining of non-compliance with the Standing Orders, £3, and for every day on which the Joint Committee on Standing Orders shall inquire into any appeal against the decision of the Examiner that the Standing Orders have been complied with, £3.

SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' HELP SOCIETY.

The Executive Committee of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Help Society met at 12 Merrion square, Dublin, on Tuesday, by kind permission of Lady Arnott. There were present:—Colonel Sir Frederick Shaw, Bart., D.S.O., in the chair; Lady Arnott, D.B.E.; Mrs. Gaisford St. Lawrence, M.B.E.; Miss Sullivan, Rev. Canon Magill, Colonel Steele, D.S.O.; Messrs. J. A. Maconchy, A. E. C. Hamilton, Miss Blount, M.B.E., Hon. Secretary.

Letters regretting inability to attend were received from Colonel the Lord Ardee, C.B., C.B.E.; the Viscountess Gormanston, Sir John Lumsden, K.B.E., D.L.; Mrs. J. Fetherstonhaugh, O.B.E.; Miss Croker, O.B.E.; Mr. W. P. Walker.

The following reports of work done were received:—

Dublin City and Office.—858 cases were dealt with during September and October. £216 2s. 5d. was granted in relief of 191 men. 547 letters were written in connection with various cases.

Employment Bureau.—80 cases were added to the books and permanent employment found for 20 men.

Tuberculosis Committee.—50 new tubercular cases were registered and 44 cases admitted to sanatoria.

Men's Clothing Branch.—17 men received 106 articles of clothing, including 10 pairs of boots. 2s subscription and eight garments were received.

The Hon. Treasurer's financial statement was read, and the following payments for relief were made to the Dublin office:—Dublin City, £100; office and counties, £100. A subscription of £2 was received from Mr. Classon Porter, and £1 18s. 8d. was collected by Mrs. Thunder.

BRIGHTS PURE CONFECTIONERY, MADE IN Dublin. Sugar Boilings in all varieties.—Walter Brights Ltd., Townsend street, Dublin.—(Advt.)

DUBLIN AND THE PROVINCES.

DUBLIN.

WEEKLY HALF-DAY LAW.—Several proprietors of small cycle repair shops were charged in the Dublin Police Courts yesterday with failing to comply with the weekly half-holiday Order, and in one case a fine of 5s. was imposed.

IRISH FISH FOR AMERICA.—The Moore and MacCormack steamer, Balsam, left Dublin last night for Castletownbere, where it will ship cured mackerel for New York.

CONNAUGHT.

NEW METHODS OF ADMINISTRATION.—Sligo County Council has under consideration a proposal to appoint three Commissioners to take charge of finance, public institutions, and roads respectively, "with a view to securing more economy and efficiency in the management of the Council's business." It is held that by fixing the responsibility on one man for each of these departments, the work would be done better. The Commissioners would be selected from the members of the Council.

UNION CHAPLAINS' SALARIES.—Mayo Board of Health has been informed by the Ministry for Local Government that the average salary paid to Roman Catholic chaplains of county homes and hospitals is £115 a year, and in only four cases is a higher sum paid. However, it sanctions £140 in the case of Mayo County Home and Hospital.

WESTPORT RATES.—The newly-formed Westport Urban Council has adopted a rate of 9s. in the £ on buildings, and 3s. 10½d. on land.

NO-RENT MANIFESTO.—Tenants of labourers' cottages in the Ballinrobe district who are paying 3s. a week rent have issued a "no-rent manifesto" to enforce a demand for a reduction of 1s. 6d. The demand has been met by the service of notices to quit.

LEINSTER.

PRIZE FOR WICKLOW APPLES.—At the Imperial Fruit Show, held in Belle Vue Gardens, Manchester, recently, Mr. Wilfrid Tighe, Ballinapark, Rathnew, Co. Wicklow, was awarded a special second prize for his exhibit of "Mère de Ménage" apples, which the Secretary of the Show Committee, in a letter to Mr. Tighe, describes as "certainly the largest apples shown this year."

KING'S COUNTY ASSIZES TOWN.—A Commissioner appointed under the Dail Eireann Courts Winding-up Act sat in Tullamore on Monday to dispose of the business for King's County. Birr solicitors wrote asking for a sitting in Birr, stating that it was awkward for clients and solicitors to attend in Tullamore. The Commissioner said that they went to the Assizes in Tullamore under the old *régime*, and there was no reason why they should not do so now.

MUNSTER.

OUTSTANDING RATES.—Some months ago rates due to the Clare County Council amounted to £204,000. Now the amount outstanding is £47,000. Twenty-four of the 32 collectors have closed the first moiety of the current rates. No collector has closed the second moiety. These figures were announced at a meeting of the Clare County Council, at which all the collectors were ordered to close their collections by November 21.

CLARE COUNTY COUNCIL AFFAIRS.—Clare County Council has passed a resolution requesting the Government to hold a sworn inquiry into the administration of the Council and its committees. It is proposed to hold the inquiry on December 12. At the meeting at which this resolution was passed members complained that false charges had been made—"They have charged us," said one member, "with being robbers, bottle-wrenchers, and a dozen other things"—and that the honour of the members had been impugned. This inquiry would give their accusers an opportunity of stating their cases in public; members should attend and prove that the Council had always acted honestly.

NON-EFFECTIVE COUNCIL.—Clare Co. Council has requested the Ministry for Local Government to dissolve Meelick District Council on the ground that it is not functioning.

COUNTY SURVEYOR'S PENSION.—A pension of £685 a year has been awarded by the Clare County Council to Mr. P. L. K. Dobbin, ex-County Surveyor, subject to sanction by the Local Government Department.

ULSTER.

MONAGHAN COUNTY HOME.—At a meeting of Monaghan County Home Committee in Ballybay yesterday a letter was read from the Minister for Home Affairs stating that he had approved of the proposal to move the Home from Monaghan to Castleblayney, that a county hospital would be established at Monaghan and a district hospital at Carrickmacross. Mr. Thomas Toal, Chairman of Monaghan County Council, characterised the scheme as "rotten, unsatisfactory, and brought about by the working of some secret influence." He said that a very appropriate sign over the entrance door of the new Home would be: "Anyone entering here there is no hope for them." The meeting adopted a resolution asking that a district hospital should be established in Clones.

The direct Dublin-Gothenburg steamer service has been resumed. The Jura arrived in the Liffey yesterday with a general cargo.

Mr. Hedley Roberts, aged 25, a traveller, was found dead in his office at 14 Dawson street, Dublin, yesterday. Death was due to natural causes. He was a native of Oxford.

Professor O'Sullivan, M.P., will lecture on "Phases of Revolution," at 5 Rutland square, Dublin, this evening, at 8, under the auspices of the Cumann na nGaedheal.

Carrick-on-Shannon and Drumshambo Branch of the Irish National Teachers' Organisation has adopted a resolution, thanking the Dublin and provincial Press for the support it has given to the protests of the teachers against the proposed "cut" in their salaries.

Mr. T. J. Hayes, manager of the branch of the National Bank of Gorey for the last six years, has been appointed manager of the Tipperary branch, where he was sub-manager for eleven years prior to his transfer to Gorey.

The death has occurred of Mrs. Anne Byrne, Springfield, Mountlucas, Philipstown, at the age of 93 years. Just before her death she remarked that God was very good to her to take her before the old age pension was reduced.

NORTHERN IRELAND.

UNANSWERED POLICE KNOCKS.—Alexander McAllister, publican, Milltown, was fined 20s., without endorsement, at Portadown, for failing to admit the police to his house at midnight on October 31. Police knocked and demanded admission for one and a half hours, but there was no response, and they had to go away without being able to search the premises. The defence was that it was customary to knock at doors on Hallowe'en night. The occupiers did not know that the police were there. The defendant said that he was a sound sleeper, and never heard the knocking, until his wife woke him, and told him about it.

SEAFORDE RECTORY FIRE.—In the Northern King's Bench the appeal brought by Canon J. G. Pooler, Rector of Seaforde, against the decision of the lower Court, dismissing his claim for £1,100 compensation for the burning of furniture at the rectory, on the ground that it was not malicious, was allowed. The Judge said that he was of opinion that the applicant had discharged the onus of proof that was on him, and was entitled to recover. It was explained that the parties had agreed to fix the amount on a subsequent day.

HAND-KNITTING PROWESS.—In a knitting competition organised in London, Miss Isabel Hewitt, of Teghnavin, Lurgan, tied with two others for the second prize, and has received a gold medal and £50. Miss Hewitt has been a regular and successful competitor at Lurgan, Portadown, and other provincial shows.

LYNN PROPOSAL OPPOSED.—Belfast Principal Teachers' Union has passed a resolution condemning the changes in the monitorial system proposed by the Lynn Committee, by which pupil teachers will be drawn almost exclusively from and trained in secondary schools, on the grounds that practical training in primary schools will be non-existent, to the detriment of teaching in the future, and that children of parents who are unable to pay for secondary education will be debarred.

DERRY BETTING PROSECUTIONS.—At Londonderry Petty Sessions, Patrick Crossan and Joseph Doherty were each fined £5 for betting. Thirteen men and one woman found on the premises of these defendants were fined 2s. 6d. One man, who gave a wrong name, was fined 20s. and costs.

FERMANAGH DRAINAGE SCHEME.—Fermanagh County Council has submitted to the Ministry of Labour an unemployment relief scheme providing for the removal of shoals in the Sillies river, which are responsible every year for the flooding of thousands of acres in the county.

IMPORTANCE OF LITTLE THINGS.—Aughnacloy, Co. Tyrone, Town Council has appointed a committee to consult a clergyman about the proposed site for a street lamp near his church, says our local correspondent.

LURGAN TECHNICAL SCHOOLS.—There are at present 1,139 pupils under instruction in the Lurgan Technical School, 2,258 class entries, and an average weekly attendance of 1,668. Seventy-four ex-Servicemen are attending special classes in the school.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

THE SENATE'S PRAYER.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

Sir,—Before the wording of the Senate's opening prayer is finally settled it is to be hoped that further consideration may be given to it, and that persons of discretion and experience, if not authority, in such a matter will be consulted. The form set out in your issue to-day reflects rawness, sentimentality and untidiness of mind as a mirror does fly-marks. Peace, justice, truth, religion and piety are to be prayed for. Is this not topsy-turvy? Where are the bounds between truth and justice, between religion and piety?

Peace, sought here in the first place, is not the forerunner or the foundation of public or private virtue; it is a consequence and a reward. Logically, it should be set last, not first; for if, as we are told, there goes reason to the breaking of eggs, ought not our Senate also to use it in its prayer? Besides, it should be considered whether, in this connection, it is not rather concord that is to be desired than peace. When the lion lies down with the lamb there will be peace, but not necessarily concord.

Justice, undoubtedly, should take foremost place as the fundamental virtue for public authorities. "Seek ye first the kingdom of God and His justice, and all these things shall be added unto you." And if to justice the Senate joins prudence, fortitude and temperance with charity, it will be a pattern of legislative excellences. Truth, religion and piety will meet it hand in hand, and, as Bernard of Morlaix sang long ago, "*Pax erit illa fidelibus, pax sine rixa.*"

The Senate would do well to be content with the simplicity and austere dignity of some ancient formula, such as "*Actiones nostras,*" known as well to Protestants as to Catholics in the archaic "Prevent, O Lord." A more modern version would be: "Go Thou, O Lord, before our undertakings inspiring them, and follow after them aiding them, that all we say and all we do may ever begin with Thee and, thus begun, through Thee may have its end." What more can the Senate need?—Yours, etc.,

"P."

Dublin, November 13th, 1923.

THE STATE AND DISEASE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

Sir,—The letter you publish to-day from Dr. Moorhead clearly points out the need for financial assistance to enable the clinical hospitals to supply insulin to the poor patients suffering from diabetes. The importance of providing funds for this purpose is very evident to all medical men. It is unfortunate that Dr. Moorhead should, in an otherwise excellent letter, make the following statement:—"I assert that so long as the State is willing to pay for the cure of venereal disease, which admittedly is for the most part acquired by non-social practices, it should also help in providing the cost of the remedy, insulin, for a disease which is a misfortune, not a fault." Fear that this statement, coming from Dr. Moorhead, may create adverse public criticism of an expenditure for the treatment of a disease, the facts of which the general public may not be familiar with, induces me to write this letter.

The object of the free "treatment centres" for venereal diseases, which were established in so many towns throughout the world, is not merely to benefit the individual who has contracted the disease, but to render the victim free from infection in the shortest possible time, so that the disease may not be distributed broadcast to innocent members of the community—a very real danger—and also that the prevalence of venereal diseases may be diminished, with a considerable saving to the State, by an improvement in the health of the community, and a reduction in the numbers maintained in the mental asylums and blind institutions.

The expenditure for the treatment of venereal diseases appears to be fully justified from a public health point of view. Let us hope that in future more money may be available for the treatment of tuberculosis, providing milk free from tubercle bacilli for children, and that insulin and other valuable remedies may be brought within the reach of the poor members of the community who seek assistance at our clinical hospitals.—Yours, etc.,

F.R.C.S.

Dublin, November 12th, 1923.

PREMIUM BONDS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

Sir,—Perhaps, as I have advocated both publicly and privately a Government borrowing on Premium Bonds, I may be permitted to answer Mr. Eason's question—"What is to be gained, therefore, by such an issue?" The advantages to be gained comprise:—

(i.) A wide basis of popular support for the loan: Premium Bonds will tap supplies of money which no other form of borrowing will elicit.

(ii.) An enhancement of the national credit due to a successful loan on cheaper terms (to the Government) than would be possible with any other form of borrowing.

(iii.) A certain stabilisation for our new political institutions due to (i.) and (ii.).

(iv.) The probability of being able to finance out of our own domestic resources the total capital requirements of our National Exchequer, thus avoiding intrigues and entanglements with foreign financiers and their agents, both secret and avowed.

(v.) The encouragement of thrift and the creation of a large class of small investors.

If I admit Mr. Eason's proposition that the Government cannot rely on Premium Bonds to cover the whole ground, the evidence collected elsewhere proves that the more old-fashioned system of borrowing also fails to cover the whole ground. The two systems can be utilised, the one as the complement of the other. It appears likely that the Government will try the more old-fashioned method first, but I believe that they would have got cheaper money and a more buoyant market for their wares had they begun with Premium Bonds.

Mr. Eason prefers Savings Certificates to Premium Bonds from the point of view of thrift. The Savings Certificates offer truly admirable facilities for thrift to those who have formed a habit of saving. Premium Bonds, on the other hand, offer not merely facilities, but positive inducements or incitements to thrift. The hope that "springs eternal" will supply the driving force behind Premium Bonds, while the Savings Certificates have no motive power but good advice to push them. It is better that fifty thousand should be guided into thrift by optimism, speculation or a belief in destiny, than that a mere handful—and no more—should be shepherded into thrift by moral precepts.—Yours, etc.,

HENRY HARRISON.

Dublin, November 13th, 1923.

THE FREE STATE LOAN.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

Sir,—Permit me, as a possible investor in the forthcoming Free State Loan, to suggest to the Government the advisability of giving an undertaking that the currency will not be in any way altered for a period of, say, at least ten years. This would give an additional feeling of security to investors and would assist the issue of the Loan.—Yours, etc.,

"TRIVIATOR."

Dublin, November 13th, 1923.

THE DISHORNING OF CATTLE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

Sir,—It is high time that something were done to put a stop to the terrible cruelties which are being inflicted on cattle by the barbarous practice of dishorning. The law, I believe, formerly allowed the practice, provided that it was carried out by a veterinary surgeon under an anæsthetic; but now the poor brutes are tethered and bound, thrown on the ground, and their horns are sawn off deep into the head, causing great suffering, as proved by their agonising roars.

This cruel practice is carried out by individuals who can have no feelings for the sufferings of dumb animals. I have made various enquiries as to why cattle are dishorned, and am told that it is done because it puts on at least £1 to their value, and also prevents their injuring one another in the cattle trucks. I met a herd of some twenty-five cattle a while ago, being driven on the road. They had just been dishorned; their conditions was pitiable, their heads bespattered with blood, and the poor brutes were evidently in great pain from shock on account of what they had gone through.

Cannot the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals move in the matter and obtain some legislation? The Civic Guard might be directed to report all cases coming under their notice.—Yours, etc.,

"HATER OF CRUELTY."

Co. Leitrim, November 12th, 1923.

THE COLLEGE OF SCIENCE.

GOVERNMENT URGED TO VACATE BUILDINGS.

STUDENTS HEAVILY HANDICAPPED.

At a meeting of the College of Science Association, held at 86 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin, last night, Mr. A. C. Cosbie, A.R.C.Sc.I., presiding,

A resolution was submitted by Mr. M'Cafferey protesting against the continued occupation of the College by the Government departments, which should be housed elsewhere, and calling upon the Government immediately to restore the College to its legitimate uses in the permanent interests of technical instruction and industrial development.

Mr. M'Cafferey said that it was an opportune moment for bringing up the question of re-opening the College of Science. They had tried in vain to get the Government to realise that the College of Science must be opened. The military necessity for the occupation of the College no longer existed. It was being used as Government offices, but the Government should be able to find offices elsewhere.

Mr. Gillies seconded, declaring that it was essential that the College should be re-opened without delay.

The resolution was adopted.

THE DEAN'S REPORT.

Professor F. B. Hackett, Dean of the College, then submitted his report, which stated that the work of the College was carried on at present in some eight buildings scattered over the city, including University College, the Veterinary College, Ballsbridge; the Albert College, Glasnevin; and the Industrial Annexe, Grand Canal Bank. The mechanical Engineering Laboratories were opened to the students last January. It was not until June that admission to the Electrical Engineering Laboratory was sanctioned.

The staff and students were under great obligations for the accommodation which had been given to them, but the best available fell short of the equipment lying idle in the College. Advanced students were still deprived of an important part of their training—namely, access to the valuable College library of applied science. From the student's point of view conditions were much worse than last year.

The present arrangements involved quite an unjustifiable strain on the energies of the staff and students. Their own laboratories could be placed at their disposal without any departure from the principle on which students are admitted at present to the College building.

Professor O'Rahilly, T.D., forwarded a resolution from the Academic Council of Cork University, requesting the Government to establish a Commission to inquire into the status, functions, and inter-relation of University Colleges and the College of Science.

Mr. Mellon said that there seemed to be a suggestion that the University College and the College of Science should be amalgamated. That would not benefit education or the State.

"AN EDUCATIONAL ENTITY."

Mr. Wordsworth proposed a resolution expressing the opinion of the Association that the conservation of the College of Science as an educational entity is essential for the progress and development of applied science in the Irish Free State.

The College of Science had always been closely associated with the scientific services of the Government, which had increased considerably. The Patents Office, the National Physical Laboratory, and similar institutions were no longer at the service of the Government. The College was the only institution in the Free State having the equipment necessary to perform portion of the scientific work which must be done in the country. The reopening of the College was a matter of great urgency which could not be shelved indefinitely.

The motion was seconded by Mr. Mellon and adopted.

NEW OFFICERS.

Mr. T. P. Gill was elected President of the Association for the ensuing year, and the following were elected Vice-Presidents:—Mrs. Stopford Green, Dr. J. F. Crowley and Dr. W. E. Adeney.

LABOUR AND THE HUNGER-STRIKERS.

In regard to Mr. Thomas Johnson's letter to the *Irish Times*, in which he defined Labour's attitude towards the political prisoners' hunger strike, Mr. David R. Kent writes that he and Mrs. Kent interviewed Mr. Johnson as delegates officially appointed by the Ard Fheis. Mr. Kent adds that he would not have been in favour of the hunger strike if it had been declared for political reasons. He urges Mr. Johnson to move in the Free State Parliament a resolution demanding the release of the prisoners.

Mr. C. Cahalan writes from 94 Middle Abbey street, Dublin, that he was present at the meeting of the National Executive of the Irish Labour Party at which the deputation was received, and contradicts Mr. Johnson's statement that Mrs. Sheehy-Skeffington's account of the interview is incomplete and misleading.

RANELAGH CONCERT.

A very enjoyable and interesting concert was given in aid of the Boy Scouts and Girl Guides at the Sandford Parochial Hall, Ranelagh, last night. There was a good attendance, and an acceptable musical programme was presented by Miss Florence Burke, Miss Eleanor Reddy, Miss Ivy Furlong, Miss Lilian Whittaker, Mr. William Lewin, Mr. J. Mackay, and Rev. W. N. Harvey. The Rev. C. R. Caffry was at the piano.

IRISH TREES FOR FLANDERS.

Messrs. Power, the Waterford firm of nurserymen, last week shipped, to the order of the Canadian Battlefields Memorial Commission, a heavy consignment of cedar trees for graves of Canadian soldiers who fell in the war.

DUBLIN SHIPPING REPORT.

Wind and Weather—S.S.W. wind, fresh breeze, dull and overcast.

Foreign Arrivals—Ss. Jura, of Glasgow, 901 tons register, Captain Cruddace, from Gothenburg, with a general cargo; discharging at shelter sheds, North Wall extension. Ss. Ita, of Cardiff, 163 tons register, Captain Molloy, from Boulogne, with a cargo of cement; discharging at South quay.

Coastwise Arrivals—Ss. Slievemore, ss. Slieve Donard, from Holyhead, with goods; ss. Lady Louth, ss. Lady Kerry, from Liverpool, with goods; ss. Brier, from Heysham, with goods; ss. Lady Meath, from Manchester, with goods; ss. Oneida, from Barrow, with motor spirit; s/v Hera, from Portishead, with motor spirit; ss. Clarecastle, from Liverpool, with empties; ss. E. Hayward, from Liverpool, with coals; ss. St. Mungo, from Birkenhead, with coals; ss. Glencullen, from Partington, with coals; ss. St. Senan, ss. Lancashire, from Ayr, with coals; ss. Adam Smith, from Garston, with coals.

Foreign Departures—Ss. Comanchee, of Newcastle, 3,563 tons register, Captain Johnsen, for Belfast, with part cargo (oil); ss. Balsam, of New York, 2,972 tons register, Captain De Barr, for Castletown (Berehaven), light.

Coastwise Departures—Ss. South Stack, ss. Slievemore, for Holyhead, with goods; ss. Lady Louth, for Liverpool, with goods; ss. Pointer, for Glasgow, with goods; ss. Brier, for Heysham, with goods; Ss. St. Modan, for Stranraer, with dried grains; ss. Walnut, ss. Princetown, for Newport, light; ss. Clarecastle, for Liverpool, with porter; ss. Lady Wicklow, for Liverpool, light; ss. Mayflower, for Ormeshead, light; ss. Sybil Mary, for Dinmor, light; ss. Balmarino, for Llandulas, light; ss. Elidir, for Ayr, light; ss. Mondara, for Belfast, light; ss. Ailsa, for Troon, light; ss. Alyn, for Piel, light; ss. Jessie Summerfield, for Garston, light; ss. Glenageary, for Partington, light; ss. Isabeletta, for Newport, light; ss. Ivytown, for Liverpool, light; ss. Pyrope, for Llandulas, light.

U.S. MARKETS.

IRREGULAR CLOSING OF STOCKS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

NEW YORK, Tuesday.

Stocks opened irregular. Bear selling of Motors, Oils, and some specialities partially halted when a broad demand developed for Railroads, due to the expectation of the continuance of large earnings, many Railroads gaining 1 to 2 points. The market, however, closed irregular. Government Bonds steady. Railroad Bonds firm. The day's sales totalled 970,000 shares. Money on call firm, closing at 4½ per cent. bid and 4¾ per cent. asked. Actual loans were at these rates, the ruling rate being 4½ per cent. and last loan 4½ per cent. Sterling exchange rates easy. Silver ⅛c. up for foreign mined at 64⅜.

Railroad earnings for first week November—Southern, gross $3,871,000, increase $53,000.

Gold to the value of $1,500,000 has arrived here from London.

Atchison Topeka Common, Illinois Central, Lehigh Valley Shares, Chicago Rock Island, Southern Pacific, Union Pacific Pref., Royal Dutch Petroleum, and Shell Ord. advanced ½; Chicago Milwaukee Common, Norfolk and Western Common, and Texas and Pacific, 1½; Chicago North-Western Ordinary, 1; Erie Railroad Shares, 1⅛; Erie First Preference, 1⅛; Missouri Pacific and Northern Pacific Common, ⅞; and New York Central, Ontario and Western, and United States Steel Preference, ⅞.

International Mercantile Marine Preference declined ⅛; Pan-American Oil Shares, 1; and United States Rubber, ⅞.

Atchison Topeka General Mortgage Bonds declined ½ and Erie Lien Bonds advanced ⅜.

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS.

WASHINGTON, November 13.

The October imports amounted in value to $303,000,000, including gold $29,858,000 and silver $6,928,000. The exports were valued at $402,000,000, including gold $1,308,000 and silver $7,523,000.

Eng. Parity	Stocks	Closing Bid Prices Mon.	Tues.	Business Done H.	L.
116¾	Funded	102⅝	102¼	—	—
111½	Atch., Top., Santa Fe	97	97½	—	—
89¾	Do. Preference	87⅜	87	—	—
86⅛	Baltimore and Ohio	58½	58⅝	—	—
166⅛	Canadian Pacific	145¾	146	—	—
83⅞	Chesapeake Ohio Com.	72¾	73	—	—
16¾	Chic., Mil. & St. Paul	13	14⅛	—	—
70⅞	Chicago and N.-West	61	62	—	—
31⅞	Erie 1st Preferred	28⅜	27⅞	—	—
59¾	Do. 4% Gen. Lien Bds.	51⅛	52	—	—
64⅛	Great Northern Pref.	56⅝	56⅛	—	—
117⅛	Illinois Central	102	102⅝	—	—
70⅞	Lehigh Valley	61⅞	62	—	—
100¾	Louisville & Nashville	88	88	—	—
13⅝	Missouri, Kan. & Texas	11⅛	11⅛	—	—
73⅜	Do. New 4% Bonds	63⅞	64⅛	—	—
58⅛	Do. Adj. 5% Bonds	50⅛	56⅛	—	—
11⅛	Missouri Pacific New	9⅝	10¼	—	—
4⅛	Nat. of Mexico 1st Pref.	4	4	—	—
1⅛	Do. 2nd Pref.	1½	1¾	—	—
116⅞	N.Y. Ctl. & Hudson R.	101	101¾	—	—
121⅛	Norfolk & West Com.	104⅝	106	—	—
61⅛	Northern Pacific Com.	53⅞	53¾	—	—
17⅛	Ontario and Western	15	15¾	—	—
47⅝	Pennsylvania Shares	41⅝	41¾	—	—
88⅛	Reading Shares	76¾	77⅞	—	—
61⅛	Do. 1st Preferred	53⅞	53⅛	—	—
99⅛	Do. 4% Mort. Bonds	87	86¾	—	—
41⅛	Southern Railway	36⅛	36⅞	—	—
99⅞	Southern Pacific	86¾	87⅛	—	—
23⅞	Texas and Pacific	19½	20⅛	—	—
149¼	Union Pacific	131	131⅛	—	—
81⅛	Do. Pref.	71	71½	—	—
108⅛	Do. 4% Bonds	93⅝	93⅝	—	—
11⅛	Wabash Common	10⅛	10⅜	—	—
39⅛	Do. Preferred A	34⅜	34⅞	—	—
66¾	Amer. Smelt. Refin. Com.	58	58	—	—
43⅞	Anaconda Copper	37⅜	38	—	—
25¼	Brit.-Amer. Tobacco	22⅛	22⅜	—	—
66⅛	N.Y. Cons. Gas	59⅜	59½	—	—
206¾	General Electric	181	181	—	—
107⅞	U.S. Steel Common	94⅛	94	—	—
137⅛	Do. 1st Preferred	119⅛	120¼	—	—
117⅞	Do. 2nd 5% Bonds	102¾	103	—	—
—	Silver (Foreign Mined)	64⅛	64⅝	—	—
9⅜	Inter. M.M. Com. Certs.	8	8¼	—	—
38⅞	Do. Prefd. Certs	34⅛	33⅝	—	—
56⅛	Royal Dutch Oil	48⅞	49⅜	—	—
38⅞	Shell Transport	33	33⅛	—	—
66½	Pan-American Pet.	59⅛	58⅛	—	—
16⅛	Anglo-American Oil	14	14⅛	—	—
16⅜	General Motors	14⅝	14⅜	—	—
40½	U.S. Rubber	36⅜	35⅝	—	—

*Asked. †Ex div. ‡Ex Bonus. §Ex rights.

	Monday.	Tuesday.
Call Money	4½b. 4¾a.	4½b. 4¾a.
Ex. on Ln. 60 days' st.	4.34.25	4.34.75
Ex. on Ln. Demand Bills	4.37.00	4.37.50
Cable Transfers	4.37.25	4.37.75
Ex. on Paris	5.53¾	5.57½
Ex on Berlin	.0000000000040	.00000000000[illegible]
Cotton, Mid. Upland	34.25	23.70
Do., New Orleans, Mid.	33.00	32.75
Cottonseed Oil, P. Sum. Yellow Spot	11.65	11.65
Cot. Seed Oil, Yel., Dec.	11.70	11.58
Petro., Refined, in cases	16.90	16.90
Do., Standard White	14.00	14.00
Do., Philad. Stan. do.	14.00	14.00
Do., Pennsyl., Crude	2.75	2.60
Spirits of Turpentine	94	95
Do., Savannah	Holiday.	89
Resin, Grade K	Holiday.	4.35
Do., Grade F	Holiday.	4.37½
Lard, Prime West. Stm.	14.00	14.62½
Do., Midland West	14.20—14.30	14.30—14.40
Tallow, Extra	8⅛	8¼
Sugar, New Cuban	7.16	7.28
Corn, West., No. 2 Mix.	104	106¾
Wheat, No. 2 Hd. Wtr.	117¾	118
Do., No. 2 Red Winter	120¼	120⅜
Do., No. 2 Mix. Drm.	106½	107
Coffee, Rio No. 7	11⅛	11⅛
Flour, Spring Clears	5.25—5.75	5.25—5.75
Iron, No. 2 Nor. Fdry.	21.00—22.50	21.00—22.50
Tin, Straits	43.62½	44.62½
Zinc, East St. Louis	6.42½	6.45
Electrolytic Cop. Spot	13⅝—13⅞	13⅝—13⅝
Do. do., Futures	13¾—13⅞	13⅝—13⅞
Freight, Heavy Grain to U. Kingdom, per bushel	3/3—3/6	3/3—3/6
Freight, Heavy Grain to Continent, per bushel	12—16	12—16
Freight, Cont. to L'pool (high density)	25	25
Do. Stand (per 100lb.)	30	30

PRODUCE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Tuesday.

WHEAT—Spot market steady at ⅛c. rise. Exporters engaged 35 boatloads of wheat, 10 boatloads of rye, and 60,000 barrels of flour. The visible supply of wheat increased 2,256,000 bushels on the week, and now totals 71,445,000. Receipts—Atlantic, 1,024,000; last year, 1,093,000. Clearances, 920,000; last year, 467,000.

FLOUR steady.

CORN on spot firm and 2½c. up. The visible supply of corn increased 235,000 bushels on the week, and now totals 1,044,000. Receipts—Atlantic, 22,000; last year, 440,000. Clearances, nil; last year, 69,000.

LARD—Cash steady, 2½ to 10 points up.

RUBBER steady, ⅛c. down to unchanged. First latex crepe, 28; smoked ribbed sheets, 27½.

SUGAR steady. Porto Rico unquoted. Futures steady, 4 to 7 points up. Approximate future sugar sales, 27,000 tons. Dec., 5.43; March, 4.31; May, 4.32; July, 4.47. To-day's sugar sales—4,000 bags of Cuban were sold to-day to refiners at 7.28 for prompt shipment and 32,000 bags of Peruvian at 7.22 for December shipment.

COTTON opened steady, but declined on cable advices, selling by Southern and foreign interests and liquidation; then rallied owing to private advices indicating greater activity among New England spinners and buying by the trade. Prices fell back again subsequently on Wall street houses and New Orleans interests selling, also owing to the unsatisfactory spot situation, but the market closed steady, although 46 to 70 points down. Spot quiet at 55 points reduction. New Orleans spot 25 points lower. Receipts—Atlantic, 21,000; Gulf, 52,000. Exports—Britain, 7,000; Continent, 7,000; Japan, 11,000. New York futures in last twenty seconds of trading:—Nov., lowest 33.20, highest 33.20; Dec., 33.20, 33.23; Jan., 32.81, 32.83; Feb., 32.91, 32.91; March, 33.02, 33.06; April, 33.02, 33.02; May, 33.03, 33.08; June, 32.79, 32.79; July, 32.58, 32.60; Aug., 30.85, 30.85; Sept., 28.40, 28.40; Oct., 27.30, 27.40. New Orleans cotton futures in last minute of trading:—Jan., lowest 32.75, highest 32.80; March, 32.89, 32.92.

COTTON OIL easy.

PETROLEUM steady and unaltered. Pennsylvania crude 15 points lower.

TALLOW steady.

IRON steady and unaltered.

TIN strong, 100 points dearer.

ELECTROLYTIC COPPER steady at ⅛c. rise.

KANSAS CITY—Wheat easy and 1c. lower; No. 2 hard winter, 110.

ST. LOUIS—Wheat easy, 1½c. cheaper; No. 2 red winter, 111.

MINNEAPOLIS—Wheat firm, ⅛c. up; No. 1 Northern spring, 110½.

WINNIPEG—Wheat opened steady, ⅛c. to ⅛c. lower, but closed firm, ⅛c. dearer; Dec., 93½; May, 98½. Oats steady at ⅛c. fall; Dec., 37⅛.

CHICAGO, Tuesday.

WHEAT opened steady and unchanged to ⅛c. up, and went higher on bad crop moving weather, large seaboard clearances, and buying by cash houses. A reaction followed under increasing stocks, bearish Liverpool cables, and paucity of outside orders but on a demand from the mills and commission houses the market closed firm at ⅛c. to ⅛c. improvement. Spot firm. No. 2 hard winter spot, 105; No. 3 hard winter spot, 102½. December, 103⅛; May, 108½; July, 105⅛.

CORN opened barely ⅛c. down, but scored some gains owing to reported poor crop quality, adverse weather, and commission house buying; then declined on lower cash markets, larger interior movement, and liquidation after which the rise was resumed under small stocks and covering. The market closed steady, ⅛c. down to unchanged. Spot No. 2 mixed, 94½; December, 76½; May, 74½; July, 74¼.

OATS steady at former rates. December, 41⅞; May, 44⅛; July, 43⅛.

PROVISIONS opened quiet, and advanced on light stocks and a good cash demand; then heavy hog receipts West led to local selling but on covering operations and foreign buying the market closed irregular, with lard 7½ to 5 points, and ribs 7½ to 10 points down. Pork unquoted. Lard—January, 11.92½; March, 11.82½; May, 11.87½. Ribs—January, 9.45; May, 9.55.

BACON easy and unchanged to 50 points down.

Receipts of hogs at fifteen principal Western centres, including Chicago, since November 1st, total 1,789,000, against 1,204,000 same season last year.

HOGS easy, with light 10 to 15 points, and heavy 10 to 20 points cheaper.

	Short Rib Sides.	Drysalted. Loose.	HOGS. 160 to 230 lbs.		240 to 380 lbs.	
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LONGFORD CASE TRIED BEFORE DUBLIN JURY.

ATTACK ON CIVIC GUARDS.

At the Dublin County Commission yesterday, before the Lord Chief Justice,

James Brennan was charged with having on September 28, 1922, at Ardoghill, County Longford, together with two other persons unknown, they being armed with revolvers, assaulted Peter Mulvihill with intent to rob.

Mr. Carrigan, K.C., and Mr. Dudley White, K.C. (instructed by the Chief State Solicitor), prosecuted. The prisoner was not professionally represented.

Mr. Carrigan said that the prisoner, with two others, went to the house of Peter Mulvihill, rate collector, and compelled him to hand over the rate money which he had collected. Fortunately the military came along and arrested the three men, who wore masks. They escaped from custody subsequently, but the prisoner was re-arrested.

Peter Mulvihill, Ardoghill, Co. Longford, stated that he is a rate collector. On two occasions he had been stopped on the road by armed and masked men and robbed. On September 28, between 9 and 10 p.m., three masked men came to the house and demanded the rate money which he had collected. He asked why they demanded it, and they said that they "did not want the others to get it." By that he understood that they meant the Free State Government. He handed them £15, and then the military came on the scene. The prisoner was one of the men.

Asked if he wished to cross-examine the witness, the prisoner said that he was a citizen of the Irish Republic and did not recognise the Court.

The Lord Chief Justice—You are only asked if you wish to ask any questions.

Prisoner—I do not. I was there under orders to ask for money.

Lieutenant J. J. Coughlan stated that he, with a party of military, arrived at Mulvihill's house and found three masked men there. Witness took off the masks which they were wearing. Near the men he found a revolver on the ground. Subsequently the three men escaped from custody, but the prisoner was recaptured.

Volunteer James Noonan and Sergeant McNally, Civic Guard, were also examined.

The case for the prosecution having closed,

The prisoner was asked if he wished to address the jury.

He replied—"All I have to say is that I am a soldier of the Irish Republic and I do not recognise the Court. I don't see why I should be brought here at all."

The Lord Chief Justice struck out from the indictment "being armed with revolvers," because there was no legal evidence that the prisoner had a revolver. Only one revolver was found amongst the three men.

The jury found the prisoner guilty, and he was asked by the Lord Chief Justice if he would promise to be of good behaviour if he was let out for Christmas.

The prisoner said that he would. He had never been up on any charge before. He had two brothers in the Free State Army and his father was an old man.

The Lord Chief Justice then imposed a sentence of four months' hard labour from August 29, with a recommendation to the Governor of the prison that the prisoner be released ten days before Christmas.

Prisoner—Thank you, my lord.

ATTACK ON CIVIC GUARDS.

John Kiernan was charged with having, at Oughill, Co. Longford, on May 26, shot at Civic Guards Pierce Purcell and James Cawley with intent to murder them.

The prisoner pleaded not guilty and was undefended.

Mr. Carrigan, K.C., said that the two Civic Guards were, in the ordinary discharge of their duties, serving court summonses, and had served one on the prisoner's brother. When they came outside of the house they were stopped by the prisoner and another man, who were armed with rifles. The Guards were ordered to put up their hands and to leave their bicycles. They had no option but to comply. The prisoner marched behind them for some distance, keeping them covered with his rifle. When they got out of sight they went into a field for observation purposes. They saw the prisoner with his rifle levelled at them, and a bullet whizzed past them.

Civic Guard Pierce Purcell was examined and corroborated counsel's statement.

Prisoner—Do you say that it was I fired the shot?

Witness—I cannot say.

The Lord Chief Justice—What became of the second man?

Witness—He stayed at Kiernan's house.

The Lord Chief Justice said that, as it had not been proved which of the two men fired the shot, the jury should bring in a verdict of "not guilty."

A verdict of "not guilty" was accordingly returned.

The prisoner was then indicted for having, with another man unknown, while armed with rifles, assaulted Civic Guards Purcell and Cawley and stolen their bicycles.

Evidence as already given was repeated, but it was stated that the bicycles had since been recovered.

Asked if he wished to say anything, the prisoner said: "I was in the Republican Army and I considered it my duty to do this, and I did it."

The jury found the prisoner guilty.

The Lord Chief Justice sentenced the prisoner to twelve months' imprisonment, with a recommendation that the prisoner be put in the modified Borstal class.

POSSESSION OF A FARM.

Three young men, named Patrick O'Neill, Martin Sheehy and Thomas Davis, were charged with having, on August 17, 1922, together with other persons unknown, being then armed and disguised, attempted, by force and menaces, to compel Thomas Cooney, of Ballina, Co. Clare, to give up possession of certain lands.

Mr. Carrigan stated that on the night in question two of the prisoners broke into Cooney's house, and dragged Cooney out at the point of the revolver. A third man then came on, and they dragged Cooney some distance away and threatened him with death unless he gave up a small farm which he had purchased.

The jury found the prisoners guilty.

The Lord Chief Justice sentenced Sheehy to nine months' imprisonment, O'Neill to eight months and Davis to six months, all with hard labour.

MANSLAUGHTER.

Thomas Heaver pleaded guilty to the manslaughter of John Cawley on the 2nd of April last, near Ballymote, Co. Sligo.

Mr. Joseph O'Connor, for the prisoner, said that in 1916 the prisoner got a field from the Congested Districts Board, and had a right of way through John Cawley's land. On the 22nd April, 1923, the prisoner was taking some potatoes along the right of way in a donkey car. He found the gate locked, and Cawley refused to open it. The prisoner then got a hammer to open the gate. Prisoner's brother—who is a cripple—came on, and Cawley drew a stick at him. The prisoner then hit Cawley on the arm and head with the hammer. Cawley's skull was fractured, and he died about three weeks afterwards.

Prisoner's brother bore out this statement.

A Civic Guard sergeant said that the prisoner, who had a public-house in Ballymote, was a man of excellent character, and had a wife and three young children.

The Lord Chief Justice said that he tried to be merciful to the living, but he should also try to do justice to the dead. He would consider the matter carefully, and pronounce sentence in the morning.

The Court adjourned.

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KILKENNY HOUNDS—OPENING MEET.

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About to Draw Barnaglissawney Covert. Major Dermot McCalmont (Master) is the second figure in the picture.

THE CIVIC GUARD.

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Chief Superintendents and Superintendents from all parts of Ireland at the recent Conference in Dublin.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

WAR OFFICE, November, 13th, 1923.
REGULAR FORCES.
COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appointments are made:—Staff Captain—Bt. Major H. H. Douglas Withers, Prince of Wales' Volunteers.

ROYAL TANK CORPS.

The undermentioned remain seconded whilst holding appointments at the Armoured Motor Centre, Ahmednagar:—Major A. Clifton, O.B.E.; Captain J. Mahony.

MEMORANDA.

Colonel (temporary Colonel Commandant)—Sir Hugh J. Elles, K.C.M.G., C.B., D.S.O., late Tank Corps, is appointed A.D.C. to the King.

Lt.-Colonel and Bt. Colonel E. Gibb, C.M.G., C.B.E., D.S.O., from R.A.S.C., to be Colonel.

Lt.-Colonel and Bt. Colonel Sir Matthew H. G. Fell, K.C.B., C.M.G., from R.A.M.C., to be Colonel.

Lt.-Colonel E. Du Pre H. Moore, half-pay list, retires on retired pay.

Captain R. R. O'C. Miller, half-pay list, late South Stafford Regiment, on completion of five years on the half-pay list, placed on retired pay on account of ill-health, contracted on active service.

REGULAR ARMY.
RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

Foot Guards, Grenadier Guards—Supplementary List—2nd Lt. Sir T. Torquil A. Munro, Bart., resigns his commission.

Irish Guards — Lt. J. Brennan, retired pay, having attained the age limit of liability to recall, ceases to belong to the Reserve of Officers.

INFANTRY.

Royal Munster Fusiliers—Captain J. T. Cramer relinquishes his commission and retains the rank of Captain.

T. G. PHILLIPS,
Military Tailor, 4 Dame street.

Lt.-Colonel W. D Dooner, Greenan, Dunmurry, Co. Antrim, takes Resident and Non-Resident Pupils for all Naval, Military, University, etc., Entrance Examinations.

CHURCH SERVICES.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Dublin (a Branch of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.), 35 Molesworth street.—Services—Sunday, 11.30 a.m., 7 p.m.; Sunday School, 11.30 a.m. Wednesday (Testimony Meeting), 8 p.m. The Christian Science Reading Room, same address, is open to the public daily from 11 a.m.

Second Church of Christ, Scientist, Dublin, Rathmines Park (a Branch Church of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.).—Services, at which all are welcome—Sunday, 11.30 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday School, 11.30 a.m. Wednesday (Testimony Meeting), 8 p.m. Christian Science Reading Room open daily, 85 Grafton street, free to the public, from 11 a.m. to 9 p.m. Sunday, 3 to 5 p.m.

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE, DUBLIN.

AUTUMN EXAMINATIONS—RESULTS, 1923.

FACULTY OF ARTS.
B.A. HONOURS DEGREE EXAMINATION.
GROUP I.—ANCIENT CLASSICS.

Second Class Honours—O'Neill, John.

GROUP II.—MATHEMATICAL SCIENCE.

Second Class Honours—McHugh, Thomas.

GROUP III.—MENTAL AND MORAL PHILOSOPHY.

First Class Honours—McCusker, Andrew; Clarke, John; O'Flynn, Denis P.; Kennedy, Denis.

Pass—Clarke, John; Cullinan, Daniel; Finn, Walter J.; Harley, Brendan R.; Kennedy, Denis; Lusby, Charles W.; McCusker, Andrew; McGrath, Thomas J.; Mullins, Gerard; O'Connor, Francis T. A.; O'Connor, Patrick J.; O'Flynn, Denis P.; Ryder, Joseph P.; Sutherland, Joseph F.; Walsh, Laurence J.

GROUP IV.—ENGLISH LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE.

Second Class Honours—Higgins, Patrick J. R.

Pass—Higgins, Patrick J. R.; MacConigly, Charles.

GROUP V.—MODERN LANGUAGES.

Honours—McQuaid, Annie, First Class Honours in Irish and Second Class Honours in French; Sullivan, Helena, First Class Honours in Irish and Second Class Honours in French; O'Loan, Henry A., First Class Honours in Irish and Second Class Honours in French; O'Hogain, Eibhlin, First Class Honours in Irish and Second Class Honours in French; Burke, Grace M., Second Class Honours in English and French; O'Donnell, Kate, Second Class Honours in English and French; McGreevy, Bridget, Second Class Honours in French and English; Quanne, Mary R., Second Class Honours in English and French; Brereton, Margaret M. C., Second Class Honours in French and English; O'Rourke, Mary E. P., Second Class Honours in English; Harkin, John F., Second Class Honours in Irish; O'Beirne, John, Second Class Honours in French.

Pass—Brereton, Margaret M. C.; Burke, Grace M.; Harkin, John F.; Kilkelly, Julia; McEnery, Gertrude; McGreevy, Bridget; McQuaid, Annie; Maguire, Edith K.; Moran, Bridget; O'Beirne, John; O'Donnell, Kate; O'Hogain, Eibhlin; O'Loan, Henry A.; O'Malley, Nora; O'Rourke, Mary E. P.; Quanne, Mary R.; Sullivan, Helena.

GROUP VIII.—MODERN HISTORY.

First Class Honours—Doris, Kathleen J.

GROUP IX.—ECONOMICS.

Second Class Honours—McMahon, Andrew T.

Pass—D'Arcy, Joseph N.; McMahon, Andrew T.

X.—LEGAL AND POLITICAL SCIENCE.

First Class Honours—Davy, James J.

Second Class Honours—Somerville, John J.

Pass—Davy, James J.; Long, John G.; Murphy, Francis; Somerville, John J.

GROUP XI.—IRISH AND ENGLISH.

First Class Honours in Irish and English—Buckley, Catherine.

Second Class Honours in Irish—Breheney, Mary J.

Pass—Breheney, Mary J.; Buckley, Catherine; Casey, Mary C.

EARLSFORT HOUSE SCHOOL.

At the recent examinations for Junior Exhibitions in Trinity College, Dublin, the fourth place was gained by Mr. Rowland H. S. Healy, son of Mr. John Healy, Alderley, Glenageary, Co. Dublin. He secured first place at the June Entrance from Earlsfort House School, under the headmastership of Mr. W. Ernest Exshaw, B.A., T.C.D. Mr. Healy's age would have entitled him to compete for Junior Exhibition in October 1924.

Dr. Cuno, the former German Chancellor, has arrived in London.

FROM THE LEGAL DIARY.

LAW NOTICES—Wednesday, Nov. 14, 1923.

HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE.—CHANCERY DIVISION.—In Lunacy. Before the Examiner at 11.30—Vouch account, Walsh and Co. Lord Chief Justice's Chambers. Before the Chief Clerk at 11.30—Duignan, minors; O'Connor, minors. Before Dr. Webb at 11.30—Forde, minors, vouch account.

ROLLS COURT.—In Court No. 2. Action—Ratigan v. Ratigan. Rolls Chambers (Room 39), at 11 o'clock—W. Hurley, decd., Hurley v. Hayes; Kilreech Co-operative Agricultural Society, Ltd.; Tinakilly Co-operative Agricultural Society, Ltd.; T. Reid, decd., Reid v. Reid; McCague v. Mullan; J. Mergan, decd., Mergan v. Mooney; Downes trusts, Hopkins v. Fitzgerald; S. Morris, decd., Brenan v. Murphy.

CHANCERY JUDGE.—Before the Right Hon. Mr. Justice Pim in Court No. 3 (at conclusion of King's Bench List). Action—Ebbitt v. Kelly. At Chambers—de Montfort v. Attorney-General. For Wednesday, 21st Nov.:—Action—Rogers v. Howard. For Wednesday, 28th Nov.:—Action—Weldon v. Madden. For Wednesday, 5th Dec.:—Action—Rice v. Rice. For Wednesday, 12th Dec.:—Action—Crocker v. G.S. and W. Rly. Co. This day:—Before the Chief Clerk—Clibborn v. M'Donnell, sign cert.; Fitzsimons v. Fitzsimons; Companies Acts and Cooraclare Co-operative Agricultural Society, Ltd.; May v. O'Neill; Kelleher v. Kelleher; Everard v. Crinion; O'Brien v. O'Brien. Before the Assistant Chief Clerk at 11—Power v. Greene, vouch account. At 12—Kinsella v. Kinsella.

CONSOLIDATED TAXING OFFICE.—Master Kilbride at 11—Exparte taxations. A person of unsound mind (G.S.), Edmundson and Parkes; Hodges, minors, W. G. Bradley and Sons; Maher v. Galbraith, W. Kelly; Gore-Booth's estate, T. Crozier and Son; O'Sullivan v. Gorey, Hayes and Sons; Cashel Rural District Council to Maher, N. F. Maher. Master Denning at 11—Fitzsimons v. M'Loughlin, E. and G. Stapleton; National Bank, Ltd., v. Nugent, J. O'Connor and Co.; a person of unsound mind, decd., P. M. Seales; Currie v. Knox, C. R. Robinson; Dolphin to Anderson, Anderson and Bland; Dolphin to Whitney, Whitney, Moore and Keller. Master Macnamara at 11—Benson v. Murtagh, P. O'Connor; trustees of Heanly's settlement to Collis, Collis and Ward.

LAND JUDGES.—Mr. Dickinson, Examiner, at 11—W. H. H. Massy, vouch.

KING'S BENCH DIVISION.—In Court No. 3 at 11 o'clock. Crown Side—Exparte Motions. Civil Side—Exparte Motions. Summons—M'Cullum v. O'Connell. Attendance Order—M'Cullum v. O'Connell. On Notice—Johnston v. M'Fadden; Parker v. Gallagher; Stapleton v. O'Gorman; Mulvihill v. Kenny and others. To be Mentioned—Ross and others v. Troddyn. Before Master Jackson, K.C.—Hearing of References. For Friday, 16th Nov., at 2 o'clock—Murphy v. Woods. For Monday, 19th Nov., at 11.30—French-Lloyd v. Lemon. For Tuesday, 20th Nov., at 11.30—Quin v. Pender.

TRIALS BY JURY.—Before the Right Hon. Mr. Justice Pim. In Court No. 3 (at conclusion of the Chancery list). City Appeal. For Judgment—Redmond v. Lovesay. For Hearing. City Appeal—Violet Coghlan Kenny, appellant, v. J. Lightfoot and Son. The City Common jurors need not attend until to-morrow (Thursday), 15th November. The City Special jurors need not attend until Tuesday, 20th inst. For Thursday, 15th November. City Common—Forde v. Rankin and anor. and a counter-claim (rent); Noble v. Ryan (work done). For Friday, 16th November. Non-Juries—The Council of the Co. Kilkenny v. Kennedy and ors. (bond); Reilly v. Green (promissory note); Slattery v. Hackett and ors. (probate); Short v. Egan (money due); Murphy v. Phelan (money due); Mitchell v. Daly (rent). City Appeal—C. H. Prester v. Stephen O'Donohue, applt. For Monday, 19th November. City Common—Murphy v. Gardiner (possession); O'Loughlin v. Morris (goods sold). For Tuesday, 20th November. City Special—Collier v. Kantoher Co-operative Society, Ltd., and a counter-claim (work done). Non-Juries—Keogh v. Edwards (commission); Donovan v. Draper (goods sold); Murphy v. Lawton and Co. (money due). For Wednesday, 21st November. City Special—Rogers v. Slocock (work done). City Common—Doyle v. Phelan (slander). For Thursday, 22nd November. Non-Jury—The Mason Shipping Co. v. Wallace Bros. (demurrage), specially fixed. For Friday, 23rd November. Non-Jury—Keogh v. Edwards (commission).

BANKRUPTCY.—Before the Chief Registrar, at 11 o'clock—Arrangt., prove debts, F. F. Collins; do., do., J. R. Peart; do., do., E. F. Collins; do., sc. comp., P. M. Seales; do., do., E. F. Collins; do., do., do.; arrangt., vch. ac., R. R. W. Doran.

IRISH LAND COMMISSION.—Examiners' Chambers. Before Mr. Stubbs, at 11 o'clock—Francis A. Shore (C.D.B. 10158), vch. At 2.30 o'clock—Elizabeth M. W. Breck (E.C. 6852), settle schedule. Before Mr. Franks, at 11 o'clock—Stephen Grehan.

BEFORE THE RIGHT HON. THE LORD CHIEF JUSTICE OF IRELAND.—At Green street Courthouse, at 11 o'clock—Commission (con.).

BEFORE THE RIGHT HON. THE RECORDER.—At Court No. 5, Dublin Castle, at 11 o'clock—Norton v. Pender; Owens v. Harford; Pender v. D.U. Tram Co., Ltd.; Hogg v. same; Reid v. Barr; Stubberfield v. Fitzpatrick; Toole v. Sedwick; Ward v. Byrne; Briggs v. Reid; Cosgrove v. Duffy; Donohue v. Barry; Fennean v. D.U. Tram Co., Ltd.; Kirk v. Wallace; M'Loughlin v. I.T. and G.W. Union and Murphy and ors.; Nesbitt v. Gavin Low, Ltd.; O'Toole v. Corpn. of Dublin; Stewart v. Whartee; Corpn. of Dublin v. Askin; same v. Behan; Bradford v. Smyth; Commercial Union v. Phelan; Monks v. Barry; Nangle v. Doyle; O'Brien v. Elson; Reddy v. Mullineaux; same v. Buckley; Somers v. Moran.

LAW REPORTS.

AN ALDERMAN IN CUSTODY.

HABEAS CORPUS REFUSED.

In the Chancery Division yesterday, the Master of the Rolls delivered his reserved judgment in the case of the King (Charles Murphy) v. Military Governor, Mountjoy Prison, in which an application for a writ of *habeas corpus* had been made on behalf of Alderman Charles Murphy, T.D., who, it was alleged, was detained in Mountjoy Prison without any charge having been made against him since his arrest in November last.

Mr. Lynn (instructed by Mr. Sean OhUadhaigh) appeared in support of the application; and Mr. John O'Byrne, with whom was the Attorney-General and Mr. T. Sullivan, K.C. (instructed by the Chief State Solicitor), for the Free State authorities in opposition to it.

The Master of the Rolls, in his judgment dismissing the application with costs, said that Charles Murphy was admittedly in custody under the authority of the Public Safety (Emergency Powers) Acts (Nos. 1 and 2), 1923, and the validity of his detention was challenged on the ground that these Acts had not the force of law. In the first place, it was alleged that the legislative assembly which passed the Acts was not properly summoned, and, therefore, had no power to legislate.

The ground of the challenge against the validity of the legislation by the Parliament elected under the Irish Free State Act was that the Seanad was not summoned in compliance with Article 24. In his lordship's opinion there was a complete answer to that in the impossibility of applying that article to the case in point. The Senate, which had been elected by the Dail then in session, should be summoned in some way, and the Governor-General was advised that he was the proper person to give the summons. He did so in his official capacity on the 9th December, 1922, as appeared by the *Dublin Gazette* of that date. It was said that the summons ought to have been issued expressly in the name of the King. He could find no enactment to that effect outside Article 24, which, as he had pointed out, did not apply. The summons might not have been in the name of the King, but substantially it was, because the summons was by the Governor-General, the representative of the King, in his official capacity.

But even if there was an irregularity in the summons, which he was far from saying, the Senate met in response to it, and the three estates in the Parliament—the King, the Senate and the Dail—present together in the Parliament, treated the summons as good and waived the irregularity, if any there was. As to the contention that Article 47 in effect provided that every Act should be passed more than seven days before the conclusion of the session, he pointed out that that objection proceeded from a misconception. Under the circumstances, his lordship added, he was obliged to refuse the motion.

In reply to his lordship, Mr. O'Byrne said that he asked for costs.

Mr. Lynn pointed out that in no case had he got costs.

His Lordship—I must refuse the motion, with costs.

A NURSE'S CLAIM.

EXECUTORS ORDERED TO PAY £50.

Before Mr. Justice Pim the case of Monks v. Coyle and another was heard, in which the plaintiff claimed £77 for services rendered as a professional nurse to the late Sarah O'Mahony, 9 Shandon road, Drumcondra, the defendants, John Coyle and Francis Burke, being sued as the executors of the deceased. The defendants denied that the services had been rendered at the deceased woman's request, and alleged that the work was done voluntarily. They lodged £20 in court in full satisfaction of the claim.

Mr. Justice Pim awarded the plaintiff £50 and costs.

Mr. B. Black (instructed by Mr. Samuel Eastwood) appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. James Henry (instructed by Messrs. Roger Greene and Sons) for the defendants.

RENT OF LANDS NEAR BRAY.

THE APPLICATION OF THE NEW LAND ACT.

Mr. Justice Pim gave judgment, which he had reserved, in the case of Denroche v. Blackburn, in which an application had been made on behalf of the plaintiff for final judgment for £25, one half-year's rent alleged to be due by the defendant in respect of leasehold lands and premises near Bray, which had been acquired by the plaintiff; and also an application on behalf of the defendant for an order staying the proceedings until the Land Commission Court had decided whether the new Irish Land Act, passed on the 9th of August, applied to the property, which had been described as building land.

His Lordship now refused the final judgment motion with costs, and also refused the application for an order staying the proceedings, with costs, leaving the question as to the application of the new Land Act remaining to be decided.

Mr. Poole (instructed by Mr. C. H. Denroche) appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. Carson (instructed by Messrs. Hayes and Sons) for the defendant.

LIMERICK FARMER'S WILL.

CODICIL DISPUTED.

In the Probate Court, before Mr. Justice Dodd and a city common jury, the case of Waller v. Lynch was heard. The plaintiff, William Waller, executor of the will of John Nolan, farmer, of Castletown, Pallaskenry, Co. Limerick, who died on the 25th March, 1922, claimed that the Court should decree probate of the will, to which there was a codicil. The will was not contested, but the defendant, Thomas Lynch, Dromohare, contested the codicil, which, it was alleged, was not executed according to law. The defendant also alleged that the deceased man did not know and approve of the contents of the codicil, and that at the time of the making of the codicil he was not of sound mind, memory and understanding. John Nolan, in his will, left to the defendant his money in the Post Office Savings Bank, amounting to about £113; but in a codicil, made shortly before his death, he revoked this bequest to the defendant, and left the money to his housekeeper, Alice Fitzgerald, now Mrs. Alice Murphy, and it was now sought to prove that at the time he made the alleged codicil Nolan was really past transacting business affairs.

The jury, on which there were eight women, found for the will and for the codicil, and Mr. Justice Dodd admitted the will and codicil to probate, allowing the defendant £20 costs out of the estate.

Mr. T. Sullivan and Mr. C. Kelly (instructed by Mr. J. J. Dundon) appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. M. Binchy (instructed by Mr. T. O'B. Kelly) for the defendant.

ACTION FOR INJURIES.

REMITTED TO RECORDER'S COURT.

Before Mr. Justice Pim, in the King's Bench Division, in the case of Mooney against Fenlon, Mr. Geoghegan (instructed by Messrs. Vincent and Beatty) moved on behalf of the defendant to have the trial of the action remitted to the Recorder of Dublin.

The action was brought by James Mooney, 47 Queen street, Dublin, dealer and shopkeeper, to recover damages for personal injuries and for injuries to a pony, his property, caused by the alleged negligence of the defendant, Maurice Fenlon, of Mary's lane, Dublin, builder, in placing a railing at the entrance to the plaintiff's yard, whereby plaintiff's pony became entangled and bolted, causing the injuries complained of. The defendant traversed the cause of action.

Mr. Martin Maguire (instructed by Mr. E. B. Maguire), for the plaintiff, opposed the motion.

Mr. Justice Pim made an order remitting the case to the Recorder.

An extraordinary session of the Japanese Diet has been summoned for December 10. The ordinary session will begin on December 25.

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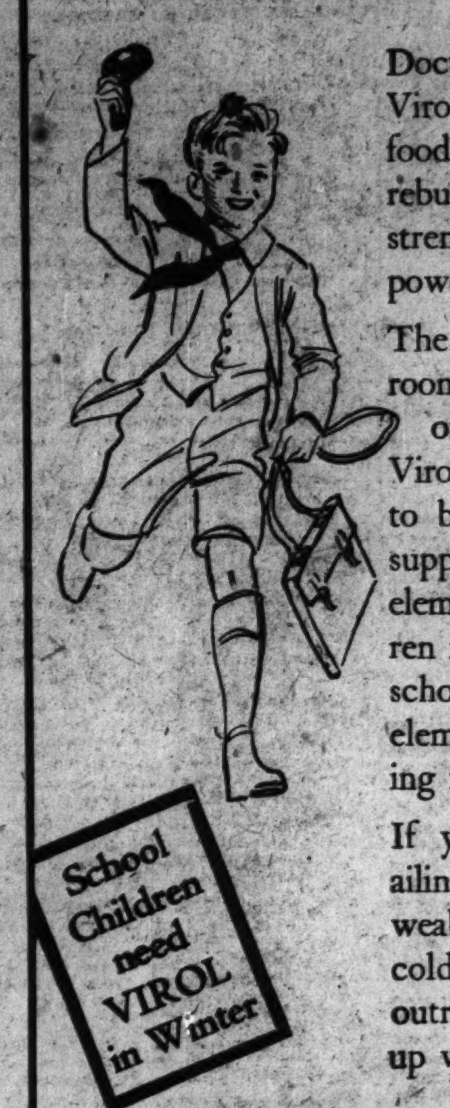

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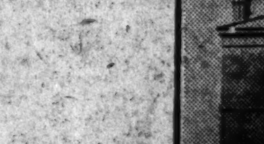

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BREACH OF CONTRACT ACTION.

ORDER FOR SECURITY FOR COSTS.

In the case of Rosebaum v. Hicks and another, in which an application had been made on behalf of the defendants, E. Savell Hicks, College Park Chambers, Nassau street, Dublin, and R. Morrison, 3 South Anne street, Dublin, for an order directing that the plaintiff, M. Rosebaum, of Monkton House, Avenue road, Acton, London, trustee of Richard Faulkner, a bankrupt, should give security for costs in the action, Mr. Justice Pim granted the application and made the order sought, after having looked into the matter.

Mr. Dockrell (instructed by Messrs. Montgomery and Chaytor) was for the plaintiff; and Mr. M. Maguire (instructed by Messrs. Horan and Devine) for the defendants.

The action was brought to recover damages for alleged breach of a contract, dated 20th November, 1920, made between Richard Faulkner and the defendants. Mr. Faulkner was adjudicated a bankrupt in England on 25th April, 1921, and the plaintiff was suing as his trustee.

A memorial to Norwegian seamen who lost their lives during the war is to be erected on the West Coast of Norway at Frederikavern in the form of a pyramid, from the apex of which a vertical beam of light will be shown at night.

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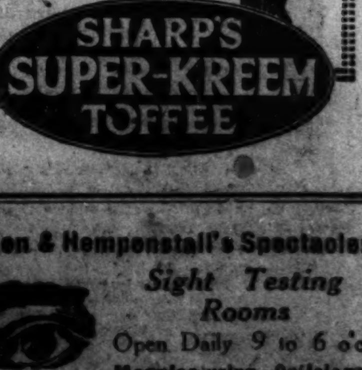

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GOOD PROSPECTS FOR DERBY.

SOVAL'S EASY WIN AT LEICESTER.

GREAT FINISH FOR HARBOROUGH HANDICAP.

FROM OUR TRAVELLING CORRESPONDENT.

DERBY, Tuesday Night.

If the large amount of rain which is hanging about the Midlands does not spoil the proceedings there should be quite good racing here to-morrow afternoon, for the arrival list is a strong one, and a number of high-class horses are due to run. The Markeaton Handicap especially looks like being a good race. Westmead came on here after winning at Liverpool, and will attempt to carry his 9lb. penalty, but may find more than one too good for him. Clochnaben also came on from Liverpool, where he ran below expectations. Donoghue rides him to-morrow, but I can hardly see his chance. Re-Echo, for one, should beat him, for he finished in front of him in the Cambridgeshire, and is likely to do so again.

It is probable that the race will rest between Sir Ernest Paget's colt and The Night Patrol. Re-Echo has run some very bad races this season, and I am afraid he is none too reliable. The Night Patrol, on the other hand, is a model of consistency. He ran a really good race in the Great Tom Plate under a heavy weight, and he may be able to get the better of Re-Echo here. Heverswood, another mount for Donoghue, has a lot of weight to give away in the Chesterfield Nursery. For example, he has to give three stone to the Wayward colt, a youngster who is a good deal fancied, and three stone is a lot in the heavy going. There was no disgrace attaching to the defeat of Heverswood in the Free Handicap. He simply failed to give weight away to a pair of exceptionally speedy two-year-olds in Eton Wick and Chronometer. There are some possibilities about Wykeham, but I think HEVERSWOOD should just about win.

The King's Newbury winner, RESINATO, will be ridden by Childs in the Rangemore Maiden Stakes, and as Windward may not be sent he will probably win. The Doveridge Plate seems to rest between HARD BATTLE and Young Pole, and I regard the former as the more generous of the pair.

SOVAL DEFEATS ROMAN BACHELOR.

There was a good deal to interest, despite the downpour of rain, in this afternoon's racing at Leicester, where Mr. Frank Curzon's Soval easily won the Leicestershire Handicap by three lengths. Roman Bachelor should have beaten Soval easily, but it was exactly the other way about here. Roman Bachelor started a strong favourite, but he might as well have remained in his stable, for he was never in the hunt, and finished among the middle division, alongside his former stable companion, Greek Bachelor.

It is a melancholy tale to have to be told of Roman Bachelor since Major Nigel Baring took him from Ireland to Mr. Gilpin's stable four years ago. Mr. Gilpin thought him exceptional, but a brilliant victory in the Esher Cup at the opening of his three-year-old days sent him so high in the handicap that he seems never to have recovered from the shock. When he won the Findon Stakes at Goodwood last year the stable did not back him for a copper, and victories in two events at Lingfield, where he started at odds on on each occasion, did not bring much profit.

Last winter he left Clarehaven for Captain Gooch's place, and it was one of the tragedies of this season when he was beaten in the Lincolnshire Handicap by the egregious White Bud. With his stable companion, Poisoned Arrow, out of the way, he would have won the Duke of York Handicap. Soval won with ridiculous ease this afternoon, and since it was stated that Mr. Frank Curzon is retiring from racing—which he is not yet, by the way—a great change of luck has attended his stable.

AN EXCITING FINISH.

There was a great finish for the Harborough Handicap, there being heads only between Eltonian, who won, Nectarinia, Ruysdael, Dryad, and Anchorsholme. Anchorsholme was such a favourite that 10 to 1 bar one was offered. When she swerved at the start it seemed to be all over so far as she was concerned, but she made up the ground, and was with the leaders in the last furlong. However, Eltonian, who had got a flyer, remained in front and hung on just long enough to hold up Nectarinia and Ruysdael. Donoghue rode Mr. Arthur McCann's Junian in the Humberstone Selling Plate, but the colt was not good enough, and Beary, riding a fine finish on Scratch, beat Retina by a neck.

GALTEE MORE.

BETTING FORECAST.

DERBY.

1.0 Race—5 to 4 agst. Royal Hussar, 5 to 1 Irish Eagle, 7 to 1 Paxton, 8 to 1 Scintillate, 10 to 1 each True Knight and Lady Looking Glass colt, 100 to 8 each Irish Ditch and Mitchells, 100 to 7 Bargate, 20 to 1 any other.

1.30 Race—7 to 2 agst. Polycarey, 9 to 2 Kallikrates, 6 to 1 Tiptree, 8 to 1 each Louvois Lass and Flock, 10 to 1 each Sun Cure and Hartshead, 100 to 8 each Gniocchi and Buzz On, 100 to 7 each Glenogle and Entangler, 100 to 6 Elizabeth, L., 20 to 1 any other.

2.0 Race—11 to 4 agst. The Night Patrol, 7 to 2 Re-echo, 5 to 1 Pondoland, 7 to 1 Westmead, 8 to 1 Clochnaben, 10 to 1 each Jehoshaphat and Villars, 100 to 8 Bonne Race, 100 to 7 any other.

2.35 Race—7 to 4 agst. Heverswood, 7 to 2 Caravel, 11 to 2 Montifringilla, 7 to 1 Noble Order, 8 to 1 each Wykeham and Lady of Lyons, 10 to 1 each Wayward and Chime, 100 to 7 Orland, 100 to 6 any other.

3.5 Race—9 to 4 agst. Resinato, 3 to 1 Windward, 5 to 1 Pomander, 7 to 1 Wooer, 8 to 1 Osaka, 10 to 1 Bachelor's Vow, 100 to 8 each Caligny and Tom Tell Troth, 100 to 7 any other.

3.30 Race—6 to 4 agst. Hard Battle, 5 to 2 Mount Juliet, 9 to 2 Young Pole, 7 to 1 Rocket, 8 to 1 Castile, 100 to 8 any other.

"FORM" HORSES.

DERBY.

1.0 —Royal Hussar.
1.30—Kallikrates.
2.0 —Pondoland.
2.35—Heverswood.
3.5 —Resinato.
3.30—Hard Battle.
DOUBLE—*Heverswood and Hard Battle.

A Student of Form.

SPECIAL SELECTIONS FOR TO-DAY.

Daily Mirror:—Double—Re-Echo (nap) and Heverswood.
Daily News:—Double—Royal Hussar and Re-Echo.
Daily Graphic:—Double—Eagle's Tail and Resinato.
Daily Express:—Double—The Night Patrol and Heverswood. Safety bet—The Night Patrol (each way).
Daily Chronicle:—Double — Royal Hussar and Heverswood. "To Beat the Book"—Heverswood.
Westminster Gazette:—To-day's best — Royal Hussar. Double—Royal Hussar and Heverswood.
Daily Mail:—Special selection—Re-Echo. Double—Re-Echo and Royal Hussar.

GOLF.

KILLINEY—Ladies' Branch—Friday next—Prize presented by Mrs. Egan (28 handicaps only), 9-hole match play; two rounds to be played first day; 18 holes for the final. Result of monthly medal—1st, Mrs. Jenkin (96), 84; 2nd, Mrs. Fry (88), 86.
CURRAGH—Ladies' Branch—To-day—Mr. Doyle's prize, 18 holes stroke; arrange opponents. Capt. Greer's Cup and Replica—Final:—Mrs. Candy beat Mrs. Noble Johnson, 3 up.
CLONTARF—To-day—Monthly qualifying round Crawford Memorial Cup. Annual club dinner Dolphin Hotel, Saturday next, 7 p.m.
SUTTON—Saturday, November 17th—Surprise foursomes. Entries close 7.30 p.m. to-day. Ladies' Section—Today, foursomes, eclectic.
BALLINASLOE—At the annual general meeting of the Ballinasloe Golf Club, held last week, the following officers were appointed for the current year:—President, Mr. W. Hewson; Captain, Mr. J. Montgomery; Treasurer, Mr. T. A. Conroy, solicitor, Society street, Ballinasloe; Secretary, Mr. E. A. Dwyer, Bank of Ireland, Ballinasloe. Committee: Rev. Father Conroy, Messrs. Charles Hall, T. J. Killeen, W. N. Macnamara, and A. C. Rennie. Mr. William Hewson's offer of his lands as a site for the new course was gratefully accepted, and work will be begun on them at once to have the new links ready for play early in the new year.

LEICESTER RESULTS.

1.0—HUMBERSTONE (S.) PLATE of £200. (Two-year-olds.) 6 f.
Mr. Poole's b. f. SCRATCH, by Bramble Twig—Action, 8-11 .... M. Beary 1
Mr. F. Hardy's RETINA, 9-0 .... V. Smyth 2
Mrs. Carthew's VARSITY MATCH, 8-11 .... Morris 3
Also ran—Phalara (Childs), Rise Hall (Elliott), Junian (Donoghue), Romanoff (J. Taylor), Casino Girl (R. Dailer), Varsine (G. Smith), Princess Sonia (Wragg), Swift Footsteps filly (A. Balding), Blossom (A. Smyth). (Winner trained by Poole.)
Betting—5 to 2 agst. Varsity Match, 5 to 1 Retina, 6 to 1 Rise Hall, 8 to 1 each SCRATCH, Phalara, and Junian; 10 to 1 Swift Footsteps filly, 100 to 7 bar seven.
Won by a neck; a length and a half.

1.30—CLOCK TOWER (S.) HANDICAP of £400. 1¼ m.
Mr. C. Piggott's b. g. KIWI, by Achiol—Poulette, 5, 6-13 .... A. Burns 1
Mr. Edge's NONENTITY, 6, 6-10 .... A. Orme 2
Mr. Scott's KARELIA, 4, 8-7 .... C. Elliott 3
Also ran—Main Royal (Carslake), Le Roi (Beary), Bold Buck (Thwaites), Errant Lad (Fox), Crush (J. Brown), Rock Drill (F. Taylor), Fine Gold (Ingham), Ethereal (Wragg), Chamarmin (Lister), Mrs. Fail (Perryman), Bucket (R. James), Lembirch (F. Godwin), Holy Star (Richards), Lilla Cross (McLachlan, jun.), Tommy Long (Alford), Darkness (McLaughlin). (Winner trained by C. Piggott.)
Betting—8 to 1 agst. Nonentity, 6 to 1 each Holy Star and Main Royal, 8 to 1 each Le Roi, Errant Lad, Fine Gold, Chamarmin, and Lilla Cross; 10 to 1 Mrs. Fail, 20 to 1 KIWI or any other.
Won by a neck; same.

2.0—LEICESTERSHIRE HANDICAP of £600. 1 m.
Mr. Curzon's b. h. SOVAL, by Santair—Sou' Wester, 6, 8-1 .... W. Lister 1
Mr. Higgs's BLACKLAND, 5, 8-2 .... M. Beary 2
Mr. Harvie's QUILP, 6, 6-8 .... G. Richards 3
Sir H. Cunliffe-Owen's Englehawk, 5, 8-9 .... H. Gray 0
Mr. Baring's Roman Bachelor, 6, 9-5 .... B. Carslake 0
Mr. Kenyon's Sir Greysteel, 4, 8-5 .... J. Thwaites 0
Sir J. Robinson's Duncan Gray, 3, 7-12 .... C. Elliott 0
Mr. Baylis's Service Kit, 6, 7-10 .... S. Donoghue 0
Lord Queenborough's Greek Bachelor, 3, 7-10 .... G. Smith 0
Mr. Liddell's Spun, 3, 7-2 .... C. Smirke 0
(Winner trained by Watts.)
Betting—2 to 1 agst. Roman Bachelor, 6 to 1 Greek Bachelor, 7 to 1 Duncan Gray, 8 to 1 Spun, 10 to 1 each SOVAL, Sir Greysteel, Blackland, and Englehawk; 100 to 7 bar eight.
The running was made by Spun from Duncan Gray and Greek Bachelor, with Englehawk, Soval, and Blackland next, for half the journey, when Spun was followed by Greek Bachelor, Soval, and Duncan Gray. A quarter of a mile from home Soval joined the leaders, and, getting the best of it, won by three lengths; same distance separated second and third. Spun was fourth, Duncan Gray fifth, Roman Bachelor sixth, and Service Kit last.

2.30—APETHORPE NURSERY of £200. 6 f.
Sir O. Mosley's b. g. HILTON, by Simon Square—Canto, 7-2 .... McLachlan, jun. 1
Lord Penrhyn's TRUE NOTE, 7-5 .... R. Jones 2
M. Calmann's SOLDEUR, 8-2 .... F. Bullock 3
Also ran—Molly (Spackman), Potentilla filly (Gardner), Pomean (Beary), Gypsy (Ingham), Li Kwang (Murch), Foreign Legion (Walker), Midnight Folly (Smirke), Crusoe (Pick), Audlast (Moore). (Winner trained by Hatt.)
Betting—11 to 4 agst. Soldeur, 3 to 1 HILTON, 9 to 2 Potentilla filly, 7 to 1 Gypsy, 8 to 1 Midnight Folly, 10 to 1 Pomean, 100 to 7 any other.
Won by three lengths; a head.

3.0—HARBOROUGH HANDICAP of £200. 5 f.
Mr. W. Black's br. g. ELTONIAN, by Torloisk—Eunice, 3, 7-13 .... G. Walsh 1
Mr. Hassan's NECTARINIA, 3, 8-8 .... J. Leach 2
Maharajah of Nawanagar's RUYSDAEL, 5, 9-0 .... R. Jones 3
Also ran—Bengal (V. Smyth), Palefrol (Morris), Dryad (Donoghue), Golden Way (Feltham), Bon Secour (Ingham), Katie (Beary), Detrimental (Lister), Perahara (Richards), Bookham Star (J. Godwin), Lensmand (Orme), Chapean (A. Burns), Anchorsholme (R. James), Cotswold (Smirke). (Winner trained by Smallwood.)
Betting—5 to 1 agst. Anchorsholme, 10 to 1 each Eltonian, Ruysdael, Perahara, Nectarinia, and Bon Secour, 100 to 8 each Bengal, Dryad, and Cotswold, 100 to 7 Lensmand, 20 to 1 any other.
Won by a neck; same.

3.30—STOUGHTON MAIDEN STAKES of £2 each, with £100 added. 1¼ m.
Mr. G. Drake's ch. c. RICHARD THE FIRST, by Gay Crusader—Will Return, 3, 9-2 .... F. Bullock 1
Mr. G. Robinson's PERPENDICULAR, 3, 8-6 .... A. Balding 2
Mr. M. Hartigan's ASHTRAY, 4, 9-1 .... H. Fortescue 3
Betting—3 to 1 on RICHARD THE FIRST, 9 to 2 agst. Perpendicular, 10 to 1 Red Bee, 100 to 7 any other.
Won by three lengths; five lengths. Magoya was fourth.
Also ran—Magoya (V. Smyth), Red Bee (A. Smyth). (Winner trained by Taylor.)

SPORTING PARAGRAPHS.

Entries for several important two-year-old races to be run at the Curragh next season, the Maiden Plate at Punchestown, and the Leopardstown Handicap Steeplechase, close to-day.

Mr. J. D. Cohn heads the list of winning owners on the flat in France with about 1,500,000 francs, followed by M. C. Ranucci, whose gains are in the neighbourhood of a million.

Battery Smoke was saddled at Leicester on Monday by Johnston Riste, who 58 years ago won a race at Leicester on Rocket. Officials were not then so strict in racing matters, and the distance of the race appeared on the card as two miles, though it had been advertised in the "Calendar" as 2¼ miles. Riste refused to start at the two miles post, and the matter being referred to the Stewards, the starter had to remove his position further back.

It is stated that M. Beary has been retained to ride Ceylonese in the Derby Gold Cup and Little Marten in the Manchester November Handicap.

John Grandy, son of the Curragh trainer F. Grandy, is the latest addition to the list of apprentice jockeys. He had his first mount at Phœnix Park on Saturday last, and he will ride for his father's stable during next season.

Mr. Frank Rogers has purchased the promising five-year-old jumper, Soldier's Joy, by The Recruiting Officer out of The Lady Slavey.

Joseph Canty, who has been laid up with a very severe cold and a high temperature, is now quite convalescent, and he will be seen in the saddle at the Curragh next week.

Instructions have been issued for the serving of writs on the promoters of English North-country sweepstakes. The defendants will be summoned to the King's Bench, London, and the proceedings will be regarded as a test case.

It is stated that Mr. R. H. Wethered, the amateur golf champion, is to become a stock-broker, a business in which his friend, Mr. C. J. H. Tolley, is already engaged.

The trainer, Arthur Childs, will take the place in association with G. Stern vacated by R. Carver, who, it is understood, has been appointed private trainer for Lord Derby in France.

Mr. J. E. Widener's Ductilite, who was written about by New York journalists as the probable winner of this year's Grand National, ran second for a £1,000 two-mile steeplechase at Laurel, Maryland, on the day that Zev beat Papyrus at Belmont Park, says the *Star*.

OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS.

WARWICK MEETING.
Dunchurch Handicap—Sandfly.
Daventry T.Y.O. Plate—Palermo, Plevna.
Radway Plate—Greenbriar.
CHELTENHAM MEETING.
Swindon Three-Y.-O. Hurdle—Willing Chick.
Southam Handicap Hurdle—Brown Study.
Gloucestershire Hurdle—Brown Study.
Cowley Maiden Hurdle—Rock Arrow.
Cheltenham engagements—Flushed.
DERBY MEETING.
Belper Handicap—Stand Aside.
Doveridge Plate—Sunny Rose.
Chaddesden Plate—Indulgence.
Osmaston Nursery—Volanta.
MISCELLANEOUS.
County Open Plate, Lingfield—Palermo.
Humberstone Plate, Leicester—The Roc.
All engagements in Mr. G. Johnstone's name—Elain.
All engagements under N.H. Rules in Mr. J. Thomson's name—King of Clubs.
All engagements in races for which forfeit is declarable on November 13 this year—Marcel Wave.
All published handicaps—Foundling, Girloch.
All engagements this year—All Green, Little Hubert, Baton Rouge, Front Row, White Bread, Post Royal.
All engagements—Haversham, The Bride, Caricature gelding (2 yrs.), Cookie's Brother, Our Surprise, Cora Vale filly (2 yrs.), Crail, Heart of Oak (dead), Suncrag, Jubilant, Glass of Fashion (dead).

PROUDSTOWN PARK (NAVAN) RACES,

FRIDAY NEXT, 16th NOVEMBER, 1923.

In connection with the above a Special Train will leave Dublin (Amiens street) at 10.30 a.m., calling at Malahide 10.45, Rush and Lusk 10.53, Skerries 11.2, Balbriggan 11.9, Laytown 11.20, Drogheda 11.28, Duleek 11.45, Beauparc 11.55, arriving in Navan 12.5.
The return train leaves Navan at 4.20 p.m. for Dublin, calling at same intermediate stations.
Return tickets at the usual Excursion Fares will be issued.
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DERBY.

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME AND SELECTIONS.

The Derby Meeting, which extends over three days, opens this afternoon. Selections are as follow:—
Breadsall Plate—Youyou.
Belper Handicap—Flock.
Markeaton Plate—The Night Patrol.
Chesterfield Nursery—Chime.
Rangemore Stakes—Sweet Auburn.
Doveridge Plate—Mount Juliet.

1.0—BREADSALL (S.) PLATE of £200. 7 f.
400 MOIDORE (Mr. Langstaff) .... Langstaff 5 9 3
313 IRISH EAGLE (Mr. Weil) .... W. Nightingall 5 9 3
011 TRUE KNIGHT (Sir D. Broughton) .... Farquharson 4 9 0
002 YOUYOU (Mr. Lines) .... Lines 4 9 0
111 ROYAL HUSSAR (Mr. Solomon) .... Cottrill 7 9 0
004 MEROS (Mrs. Bennett) .... G. Bennett 3 8 12
123 SCINTILLATE (Mr. Kenyon) .... Basley 3 8 9
The above have arrived.
000 DE COVERLEY (Mr. Eastman) .... Coldbeck 4 9 3
000 WILLIAM TELL (Mr. Higgs) .... Higgs 4 9 3
023 BHANAVAR (Sir E. Hulton) .... Wootton 4 9 3
002 PAXTON (Mr. Pole) .... F. Hartigan 4 9 3
110 BARGATE (Mr. Queen) .... McCall 3 9 3
000 MITCHELLS (Mr. Barling) .... Barling 4 9 3
000 MOXHULL (Mr. Baylis) .... Beatty 4 9 0
031 PENTRIDGE (Mr. Botterill) .... Botterill 4 9 0
000 CATSKIN (Mr. Flint) .... Smallwood 6 9 0
300 ACE OF DIAMONDS (Mr. Giannelli) .... Shedden 4 9 0
400 DESMOND HOUSE (Mr. W. Green) .... Smallwood 6 9 0
004 ROYAL BUCKS (Mr. Bissett) .... Hammond 10 9 0
240 BRANDY SNAP (Mr. MacColl) .... MacColl 5 9 0
0 STAND ASIDE (Mr. Patrick) .... MacColl 3 9 0
332 WILSON (Mr. Sanday) .... Sanday 7 9 0
EDNA'S CHOICE (Miss Wharton) .... Private 4 9 0
112 BRESLANE (Mr. Beeerm) .... Wootton 3 8 12
140 BRAZEN BULL (Mr. Boss) .... Drummond 3 8 12
000 SUNCIRCLE (Mrs. Bendir) .... Davidson 3 8 9
000 FOAM (Mr. Burton) .... Private 3 8 9
000 MUSCARI (Mr. C. Leader) .... C. Leader 3 8 9
020 FASTELLA (Mrs. McLaughlin) .... Vasey 3 8 9
000 LEEDS UNITED (Mr. Reed) .... Pope 3 8 9
000 BLAZONER (Baron de Tuyll) .... F. Hartigan 3 8 9
000 INVETERATE (Mr. E. Walker) .... C. Doyle 3 8 6
000 INTERSTELLAR (Mr. E. Walker) .... C. Doyle 3 8 6
012 PENNYWAY (Mr. Oppenheim) .... O'Sullivan 2 7 8
010 LADY LOOKING GLASS C. (Ld. Wolverton) .... Lambton 2 7 8
344 IRISH DITCH (Sir A. Bailey) .... W. Jarvis 2 6 13
030 PSYCHO (Lt.-Col. Carruthers) .... MacColl 2 6 13
001 SCRATCH (Mr. Poole) .... Poole 2 6 13
000 KILBURN (Mr. J. White) .... Ward 2 6 13
000 SILVER ISLAND (Mr. Goold) .... F. Archer 2 6 13
200 FAIR CHARLOTTE (Mr. Cribbin) .... Clancy 2 6 10
000 HARD COURT (Mr. Stobert) .... R. W. Colling 2 6 10

1.30—BELPER (S.) HANDICAP of £300. 1 m.
011 TRUE KNIGHT (Sir D. Broughton) .... Farquharson 4 8 11
0 ENTANGLER (Mr. de Vine) .... Ireland 3 7 13
023 BUZZ ON (Mr. Storey) .... Schofield 4 7 13
035 TIP-TREE (Mr. Higgs) .... Higgs 4 7 10
000 SUN CURE (Mr. Hall) .... McCormack 4 7 7
0 CULCAVEY (Mr. Kenyon) .... Basley 5 7 7
The above have arrived.
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2.0—MARKEATON PLATE (handicap) of £300. 1 m.
100 RE-ECHO (Sir E. Paget) .... C. Leader 4 9 0
102 THE NIGHT PATROL (Ld. Wolverton) .... Lambton 5 8 13
306 CLOCHNABEN (Mr. J. White) .... Ward 5 8 3
301 WESTMEAD (9lb. ex.) (Mrs. Whitburn) .... Cottrill 4 7 13
The above have arrived.
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2.35—CHESTERFIELD NURSERY of £500. 5 f.
213 HEVERSWOOD (Mr. Lunsy) .... F. Darling 9 0
000 CHIME (Sir E. Hulton) .... D. Waugh 8 0
310 WYKEHAM (Mr. Stobert) .... R. W. Colling 7 13
0 HONEY GUIDE (Mr. Wylam) .... J. Rhodes 7 10
321 MONTIFRINGILLA (Sir Mr. Dixon) .... Lines 6 12
100 NOBLE ORDER (Mr. J. de Rothschild) .... Pratt 6 8
000 WAYWARD C. (Capt. Hornfray) .... E. Sherwood 6 0
The above have arrived.
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3.5—RANGEMORE MAIDEN STAKES of £5 each, with £150 added (two-year-olds). 5 f.
TOM TELL TROTH (Ld. Derby) .... Lambton 8 10
00 POMANDER (Sir E. Hulton) .... Wootton 8 10
0 ORMADA (Mr. J. White) .... Ward 8 10
SWEET AUBURN (Ld. Derby) .... Lambton 8 7
4 PER MARE G. (Mr. Higgs) .... Higgs 8 7
430 VITMAR (Wilhsure s.) (Mr. C. Howard) .... F. Darling 8 7
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01 RESINATO (His Majesty) .... R. Marsh 9 5
221 WINDWARD (Mrs. Burrows) .... S. Darling 9 5
0 WOOER (Mr. Arkwright) .... Persse 8 10
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3.30—DOVERIDGE PLATE of £200 (Apprentice allowance). 1¼ m.
321 MOUNT JULIET (Sir H. Meux) .... Persse 4 8 2
042 ROCKEN (Mr. Raphael) .... G. Sadler 3 7 12
The above have arrived.
031 YOUNG POLE (Lady Nunburnholme) .... Rochfort 5 9 4
125 HIGH FORCE (Lord Rosebery) .... W. Nightingall 4 9 4
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SCRATCHINGS.—Chesterfield Nursery—Elevation filly. Rangemore Nursery—Quitch, Pilgrim's Rest. Doveridge Plate—Bombino.

CHELTENHAM.

PROGRAMME AND SELECTIONS.

If the fields which are likely to be witnessed at Cheltenham are in proportion to the entries excellent sport at Prestbury Park can be confidently depended on, and it is to be hoped that the weather, which was not altogether promising last evening, will be favourable. Selections are as follow:—
Cleeve Steeplechase—Golden Fleece (in the absence of Manister Park).
Southam Hurdle—Ground Scout.
Cheltenham Steeplechase—Winnall.
Amateurs' Hurdle—Clarkis.
Cotswold Steeplechase—Chin Chin or Greenhurst.
Rosehill Hurdle—First Magic; if absent, Agincourt.

1.15—CLEEVE (S.) STEEPLECHASE of 110 sovs. 2 m. and about 100 yds.
Manister Park .... a Hods ....
The above have arrived.
Providence .... 5 Craggie Rock .... a
Master Macree .... a Cæsar .... a
As Fait .... a Ned Carver .... a
Prickly .... a The Saint IV. .... a
Sam Temple .... a Smashaway .... a
Gallesian .... a Sir Eyre .... a
Golden Fleece 6

1.50—SOUTHAM (S.) HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of 150 sovs. 2 m.
Bombproof ... a 11 10 Annam ... 4 10 7
Lifebuoy ... a 11 3 Jasper ... 6 10 7
King's Pleasure a 10 12 Early Bun ... a 10 5
Chirrup ... 5 10 10 Sun Chap ... 4 10 0
Croissant d'Or.. 5 10 10 Fardree ... a 10 0
Ground Scout.. 5 10 10
The above have arrived.
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2.20—CHELTENHAM HANDICAP 'CHASE of 200 sovs. 3 m. and about 100 yds.
Blazing Corn... a 12 7 Marchesi ... a 11 5
Dudley ... a 11 7 Victor Noir ... 6 11 3
Winnall ... 6 11 6 Dart ... a 10 8
The above have arrived.
Mr. Madcap... 6 12 5 Cosaque ... a 11 1
Brownstown ... a 11 13 Test Match ... 5 11 1
Sherston ... a 11 11 Prince
Rattle Snake.. 5 11 9 Florentine 6 10 11
Gristle ... a 11 6 Ralyan ... a 10 8
Glengarry II... a 11 6 Holiday Hall.. 4 10 7

2.50—AMATEUR RIDERS' HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of 100 sovs. 2 m.
Frost Line ... a 13 0 Lady Palatine. 6 11 2
Marchesi ... a 12 7 Wild Times ... 6 11 2
Aerolite ... 6 12 5 Newtown
Clarkis ... 5 12 0 Wonder 5 10 11
Church Mouse.. 4 11 7 Walton Heath.. a 10 10
King's Pleasure a 11 3
The above have arrived.
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3.20—COTSWOLD STEEPLECHASE of 100 sovs. 3 m.
Layman ... a Cindrally ... a
Money for Nothing a Miss Caubeen ... 5
Potheen ... a Grenhurst ... a
Mintol ... a
The above have arrived.
Ellendune ... 5 Waving Pin ... a
The Temple II. ... a Heathencote ... a
Liffeybank ... a Chin Chin ... a
Climber ... a Pam Nut ... a
Ocean Wave ... a Southern Joy ... a
Royal Edgar ... a Harry Hart ... 5
Gauntian ... 6 Louvima ... a
Chang ... a

3.50—ROSEHILL MAIDEN THREE YEARS OLD HURDLE RACE of 200 sovs. 1½ m.
Jump for Joy First Magic
Seacraft Jeanagee
Vambrace Noir
Peter Pax Brown Magic
The above have arrived.
Troon Firefiare
Argus II. My Hobby
Pavillon Lancing
Second Crop Young Heroine
Another Duke King of Clubs
Rugeley Agincourt
Thief

HUNTING.

WARD UNION STAGHOUNDS

A large field attended the meet at Donaghmore Cross Roads on Saturday last. Enlarging in Mr. Butler's "Folly" the stag elected to turn back sharply to the right, through Duffy's Folly, and, passing through Jordanstown, entered a very intricate country, where the fencing is most formidable, especially at this early part of the season. The pack being laid on by the Palmerstown lane, they quickly settled down to run at a great pace through Mr. Wogan's farm, and, bearing to the right, crossed the Wren's Nest lane into Whitestown, and, holding a big advantage of the field, continued on by lower Fieldstown, where, swinging again to the right, and passing close by Upper Fieldstown, they crossed the Broadmeadow river at New Barn, and ran on unattended to Kilsallaghan, where they checked and were overtaken. A wide cast around Thornton Hall failed to recover the line, and being held back the stag jumped into view in Thornton's, and the pace became very fast again by Thornton Hall and over the very nasty "mearing fence" into Kilcoskan, by Corrstown House to the Ward river at Chapelmidway, where a safe capture was made, after a very fast, but not altogether pleasant, hunt of one hour and ten minutes.

KILL HARRIERS.

The following change of meets has been made by the Kill Harriers Hunt Club:—Friday, 23rd November, changed to Killyon Back Gate; Friday, 30th November, changed to Longwood.

THE BALLYMACAD HOUNDS.

The Ballymacad Hounds will meet as follows:—November—Saturday, 17th, Fore; Tuesday, 20th, Crossdrum; Friday, 23rd, Lakefield; Monday, 26th, Sallymount. At 11 o'clock.

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HOCKEY.

TO-DAY'S FIXTURES.

Dublin University v. Three Rock Rovers. College Park, 3 p.m. (Senior League).
Railway Union A. v. C.I.T.C. Park avenue, 3.30 p.m.
Optimists v. Newcomes (Ladies). 3.30 p.m.

TEAMS FOR TO-DAY.

Dublin University—R. A. Heatley; J. H. Tuke, C. Somerville Large; E. J. Gahan, W. L. Connell, G. H. Spiller; J. M. Eyre, G. M. Fletcher, W. B. Aykroyd, W. P. MacDonogh, W. E. Acheson.

Three Rock Rovers—W. G. McCormick; G. Pilkington, C. Blair White; H. W. Strong, W. Campbell, R. Brown; N. Medcalf, M. Eagar, J. Mahony, R. T. Evans, G. V. Boyd.

Railway Union "A"—R. Smith; J. Corscadden, R. Sutton; J. Peatt, W. Chiddick (capt.), W. Webb; T. Peat, C. Sully, F. Kelly, T. Spearman, L. Victor. Training for all other members at 5.30 p.m.

Optimists—Misses Haram, J. Goodbody, Wilson, D. Goodbody, Orr, N. Mooney, Hanna, Alexander, Dunne, Lowry, Perrin. Subs.—Misses McGonagal, O'Connell.

LISTOWEL.

MODERATE FIELDS.

M. COLLINS'S DOUBLE EVENT.

The heavy rainfalls during Monday night left the course in a very heavy condition at Listowel. There were also frequent drenching downpours during the day, and the conditions generally were very unpleasant. All things considered, however, the racing was interesting, and the attendance fairly satisfactory.

It is very seldom that horses have been galloped on heavier going, and it is not improbable that the form shown here may not be an accurate guide as to the future. Flying Lill and Empress Forest monopolised the wagering over the Island Hurdle Plate, but the former, not relishing the deep state of the ground, was out of the reckoning a long way from home. Empress Forest, on the other hand, was always travelling well, and won very comfortably. Empress Forest is trained by Mr. Collins, and was ridden by P. Cullen, and the same combination was again to the fore when the outsider, Sallyglass, upset calculations in the Town Plate.

The Listowel Steeplechase was a good betting race, nearly all the seven runners finding support in the wagering. It fell an easy prey, however, to the penalised Joe Mack. Wimborne was going just as well as the winner when he fell three-quarters of a mile from the end, and Woo Whoop, who was also shouldering a penalty, was the one to follow the winner home. Misfire, though set to carry 13st., made short work of two opponents in the Stand Plate. Mount Prospect, fairly revelling in the mud, readily accounted for the Ballybunion Plate. Details:—

1.45—THE ISLAND PLATE of 50 sovs., of which the second receives 3 sovs. A handicap hurdle race. 1½ m.
Mrs. Callaghan's b. m. EMPRESS FOREST, by Impressioner—Notre Mere, 6, 10-5 P. Cullen 1
Mrs. Morgan's MONKEY CLIMB, a, 9-13 .... P. Murphy 2
Mr. D. J. Power's MAKE SURE, 5, 10-1 .... J. H. Harty 3
Mr. W. Power's Flying Lill, 4, 11-13 J. Moylan 0
Mr. W. F. Power's Farasius, 4, 10-4 ..M. Connors 0
Mrs. D. Moloney's Ironmaster, a, 10-2 ..D. Ward 0
Mr. Keohane's Knocknacurra, a, 9-2 .... Lombard, jun. 0
(Winner trained by M. C. Collins.)
Betting—6 to 4 each agst. EMPRESS FOREST and Flying Lill, 10 to 1 any other.
Farasius led from Monkey Climb, Ironmaster, Empress Forest, Flying Lill, and Knockancurra, with Make Sure last, until a quarter of a mile from home, when Empress Forest took command followed by Monkey Climb, and won by eight lengths; ten lengths separated second and third. Ironmaster was fourth.
Mr. Power declared to win with Flying Lill.

2.15—TOWN PLATE of 50 sovs., of which the second receives 3 sovs. A flat race. 1½ m.
Mr. M. C. Collins's SALLY GLASS, 5, 9-7 .... P. Cullen 1
Mr. J. W. Coughlan's POLISH PATRIOT, 3, 8-7 .... Colbert 2
Mr. J. P. Hogan's GENERAL ADVANCE, 3, 9-1 .... P. O'Hara 3
Mr. M. J. Hyde's Paraclete, 5, 9-7 ..E. Quirke 0
Mr. D. P. O'Brien's Miss Morella, 5, 9-7 .... D. Ward 0
Mrs. Jos. Nolan's Blank Cartridge, 4, 9-7 .... J. Moylan 0
Mr. G. White's Knight of the Wilderness, 3, 8-7 .... S. Regan 0
(Winner trained by Owner.)
Betting—2 to 1 agst. General Advance, 3 to 1 Polish Patriot, 4 to 1 Knight of the Wilderness, 8 to 1 Blank Cartridge, 10 to 1 SALLY GLASS, or any other.
Blank Cartridge settled down in front of Miss Morella, Knight of the Wilderness, Sally Glass, Polish Patriot, and General Advance for half the journey, when Sally Glass drew to the front attended by Blank Cartridge, Knight of the Wilderness, and General Advance, and making the remainder of the running Sally Glass won by four lengths; twenty lengths separated second and third. Blank Cartridge was fourth.

2.45—LISTOWEL PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 10 sovs. A handicap steeplechase. 2 m.
Mr. B. Kirby's b. g. JOE MACK, by Uncle Mac—Lady Rivers, a, 11-5 .... R. Morgan 1
Mr. D. P. O'Brien's WHOO WHOOP, a, 11-4 .... J. Moylan 2
Mr. W. J. Madden's BALLINACURRA BOY, a, 11-10 .... Mr. M. McCarthy 3
Mrs. H. Harty's Windfield, a, 11-10 J. H. Harty 0
Mr. John O'Sullivan's Ashfield, 6, 10-10 .... M. Connors 0
Mr. W. Murphy's Shanacowl, a, 9-11 P. Murphy 0
Mr. M. M'Grath's Winborne, a, 9-9 ....D. Ward 0
(Winner trained by Owner.)
Betting—3 to 1 each agst. JOE MACK and Whoo Whoop, 6 to 1 each Ballinacurra Boy, Winborne, and Ashfield, 7 to 1 Shanacowl, 20 to 1 any other.
Ashfield cut out the work for Windborne, Whoo Whoop, Shanacowl, Joe Mack, Ballinacurra Boy, and Windfield until three-quarters of a mile from home, when Windborne fell, and Joe Mack went on from Whoo Whoop to win by thirty lengths; a bad third. Only three finished.

3.15—STAND PLATE of 55 sovs., of which the second receives 2 sovs. Weight for age steeplechase. 3 m.
Mr. H. M. Ryan's b. g. MISFIRE, by Watchfire, dam by Tacitus, a, 13-0 .... J. Fenton 1
Mr. R. Joyce's HEATHERSIDE II., a, 10-5 (car. 10-7) .... J. Crickmere 2
Mrs. D. Moloney's ROCKDAILE, a, 11-9 .... Mr. McCarthy 3
(Winner trained by Owner.)
Betting—6 to 5 on MISFIRE, 2 to 1 agst. Rockdaile, 5 to 1 Heatherside II.
Rockdaile fell after going half a mile, and Heatherside settled down in front of Misfire until a mile from home, when Misfire assumed command and won by a distance.

3.45—BALLYBUNION PLATE of 50 sovs., of which the second receives 3 sovs. A handicap flat race. 1 m. 2f. 20yds.
Mrs. T. O'K. White's b. g. MOUNT PROSPECT, by Saxham—Lady Geraldine, a, 10-7 .... E. Quirke 1
Mr. B. O'Donnell's FLYING LABEL, 4, 8-13 .... J. Moylan 2
Captain J. C. R. Delmege's MY VIOLET, 5, 8-12 .... D. Ward 3
Mrs. D. Moloney's Polish Prince, a, 9-13 .... M. Colbert 0
Mr. T. A. Byrne's Prince Hiram, 3, 9-3 D. Quirke 0
Mr. M. Slattery's George's Nancy, 4, 8-8 P. Cullen 0
Mrs. W. White's Giolla Deacair, 6, 8-10 .... M. Gleeson 0
(Winner trained by M. Dawson.)
Betting—Evens MOUNT PROSPECT, 4 to 1 agst. My Violet, 6 to 1 each Flying Label and Polish Prince, 8 to 1 George's Nancy, 10 to 1 any other.
Flying Label came on from Mount Prospect, Prince Hiram, George's Nancy, My Violet, and Polish Prince, with Giolla Deacair last until a quarter of a mile from home, when Mount Prospect took the lead, and won easily by three lengths; five lengths separated second and third. Giolla Deacair was fourth.

TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS.

It is to be hoped the weather will be more favourable for the concluding stage of the meeting, for which another good programme has been arranged. Selections are appended:
Kerry Plate—Richmond.
Killarney Plate—Spearmarker.
Stewards' Plate—Joe Mack; if absent, Yours Only.
Tralee Plate—Shady Boy.
Tradesmen's Plate—Bridgemore.

1.45—KERRY PLATE of 50 sovs., of which the second receives 3 sovs. A handicap hurdle race. 2 m.
BRAEMAR (Mr. J. J. Foley) .... Gleeson 6 12 3
FLYING LILL (Mr. W. F. Power) .... Parkinson 4 11 13
PADDY MILESTONE (7lb. ex.) (Mr. Jackson) .... Dawson 6 11 11
HUNTING HALL (Mr. T. Vaughan) .... Collins a 11 5
CROCUS (Mr. H. I. Usher) .... Owner 5 11 4
BROKEN BOW (Mr. P. W. Shaw) .... Parkinson 4 11 2
POLISH PRINCE (Mrs. Moloney) .... Moloney a 11 4
ITALIAN SUMMER (Mr. Magee) C. Brabason 6 10 12
MY VIOLET (7lb. ex.) (Capt. J. C. R. Delmege) .... Stark 5 10 9
KEEP TIME (Mrs. Croft) .... Usher 5 10 8
NO WORRY (Mr. C. Blackmore) .... Kirwan a 10 8
RICHMOND (Mr. N. J. Grene) .... Moss a 10 7
SPHAGNUM (Lord Kenmare) .... Feore a 10 6
GIOLLA DEACAIR (Mrs. W. White) .... Gleeson 6 10 3
MONKEY CLIMB (Mrs. Morgan) .... H. Harty a 10 3
FARASIUS (Mr. W. F. Power) .... Parkinson 4 10 2
MAKE SURE (Mr. D. J. Power) .... Usher 5 10 1
LOMOND LAD (Capt. O. B. Harty) M. Harty a 9 11
HESTER ISLAND (Mr. J. Rolleston) .... Owner a 9 7
KNOCKNACURRA (Mr. Keohane) .... Lombard a 9 7

2.15—KILLARNEY PLATE of 50 sovs., of which the second receives 3 sovs. A flat race. 2 m.
SEA SHOT (Mr. M. S. Carroll) .... H. Harty 4 11 0
SARDA (Mr. F. F. Hickey) .... Moss 6 11 0
LITTLE NELL (Mr. P. J. Lenehan) .... Owner a 11 0
RATHMAN (Mr. J. C. Magner) .... Owner a 11 0
SPEARMAKER (Mr. J. Musker) Parkinson 4 11 0
IRISH FREE STATE (Mr. D. P. O'Brien) .... Owner 6 11 0
VERY HARD (Mr. T. J. O'Sullivan) Moloney 4 11 0
ROCKLEY'S HOPE (Mr. C. Prendergast) .... Owner 5 11 0
TARBET (Mr. R. O. Ross) .... Moss a 11 0
SOUTH SPRING (Mr. C. J. Ryan) .... Keating a 11 0
PRINCE HERMIAN (Mr. J. C. Ryan) Owner a 11 0
NOVELTY (Mr. Jas. Whelan) .... Owner a 11 0

2.45—STEWARDS' PLATE of 75 sovs., of which the second receives 5 sovs. A handicap steeplechase. 3 m.
MASK-ON (Mr. T. O'Gorman) C. Brabason a 12 7
RATHCREEVAGH (10lb. ex.) (Mr. H. J. Dunnan) .... Usher 6 12 6
BALLINCURRA BOY (10lb. ex.) (Mr. W. J. Madden) .... Moloney a 12 4
SILVERMORE (Mr. M. N. Conway) Owner 6 12 1
JOE MACK (10lb. ex.) (Mr. B. Kirby) Owner a 11 13
MISFIRE (10lb. ex.) (Mr. H. M. Ryan) .... Ryan a 12 4
GREEN LABEL (Mr. P. Bartholomew) Murray 6 10 10
YOURS ONLY (Mrs. Croft) .... Usher a 10 5
SHANACOWL (Mr. W. Murphy) .... Owner a 10 2
MUNSTER MARINE (Mrs. Moloney) Moloney 6 9 13
SPRINGPORT (Mrs. M. Callaghan) .... Collins a 9 13
CROMHILL BELLE (Mr. E. Power) .... Owner a 9 9
THE PROSPEROUS BOY (Mr. J. A. O'Sullivan) .... Owner a 9 9
ANNAGH (Mr. D. P. O'Brien) .... Owner a 9 7

3.15—TRALEE PLATE of 75 sovs., of which the second receives 5 sovs. A steeplechase. 2 m.
HEATHERSIDE II. (Mr. R. Joyce) Owner a 11 10
BUTLERSTOWN (Mr. P. Keohane) Owner a 11 10
PRINCE HERMIAN (Mr. J. C. Ryan) Owner a 11 10
STEEL MAN (Mr. T. Keays) .... Owner a 11 8
BROWN IVY (Capt. J. F. O'Grady) .... Owner 5 11 8
SHADY BOY (Mr. F. J. Corbett) .... Owner 4 11 3
VERY HARD (Mr. T. J. O'Sullivan) Moloney 4 10 7
TARBET (Mr. R. O. Ross) .... Moss 4 10 7

3.45—TRADESMEN'S PLATE of 50 sovs., of which the second receives 3 sovs. A flat race. 1½ m.
LADY HILL (Mr. M. C. Collins) .... Owner 4 10 12
HOMELAND (Mrs. D. Moloney) .... Moloney 4 10 12
NARACLEIS (Mr. T. Nunan) .... Owner a 10 8
BOOTY (Mr. Croft) .... Usher 4 10 8
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KNIGHT OF THE WILDERNESS (Mr. G. White) .... Owner 3 8 9
HOPE ON (Mr. J. M. Moore) .... 3 (o.a.)

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NORTH TIPPERARY CLUB.

Judge—Mr. P. J. Kennedy. Slipper—M. J. Kinnane.
KILRUANE STAKES—For 10 puppies. Winner, £15; second, £5.
Mr. P. O'Brien's Beauty's Dream beat Mr. Hammond's Humming Ratho.
Mr. Quane's Kilmoyley Lady beat Mr. P. Kinane's Frisco's Speed.
Mr. J. J. Connolly's Clunagh Jazzy beat Mr. T. Kinane's Speedy Kid.
Mr. J. Caldwell's Castle Lad beat Mr. W. Collins's Captain Con.
Mr. J. Fox's Happy Fanny beat Mr. W. Kennedy's Bredagh Boy.
II.
Beauty's Dream beat Kilmoyley Lady.
Castle Lad beat Clunagh Jazzy.
Happy Fanny, a bye.
III.
Beauty's Dream beat Happy Fanny.
Castle Lad, a bye.
IV.
Mr. J. Caldwell's bd. d. Castle Lad (Blanche's Bijou—Castle Quarter) beat Mr. P. O'Brien's bd. b. Beauty's Dream (Irish Steeple—Flying Beauty V.).
NORTH TIPPERARY CUP—For 8 all-ages. Winner, £24; second, £8.
Mr. J. Barry's Dick Fitz beat Mr. J. J. McGrath's Fighting Bill.
Miss K. O'Reilly's Orkit beat Mr. Reidy's Mount Royal.
Mr. Leahy's Lax Law beat Mr. J. J. Connolly's Clunagh Piper.
Miss K. O'Reilly's Searshea beat Mr. Jas. Griffin's Gunpowder.
II.
Orkit beat Dick Fitz.
Searshea beat Lax Law.
Miss K. O'Reilly's bd. d. Orkit (Dick the Liar—Sunburst) and her bd. b. Searshea (Dick the Liar—Leaves of Memory) divided.
BALLINTOTTY STAKES—For 7 all-ages. Winner, £10; second, £4.
Mr. P. O'Brien's Rakes of Mallow beat Mr. T. Quane's Kilmoyley Captain.
Mr. W. Collins's Carrig Hawk beat Mr. E. Leahy's Legality.
Mr. M. Gleeson's Glittering Jewel beat Mr. P. McBride's Bedford Lass.
Mr. J. O'Keeffe's Carpentier II., a bye.
II.
Rakes of Mallow beat Carrig Hawk.
Carpentier II., a bye.
Mr. P. O'Brien's bd. d. Rakes of Mallow (Luxory—Green and Gold VIII.) and Mr. J. O'Keeffe's be. d. Carpentier II. (Kaiser II.—Slow Too) divided.

The effects of the recent troubles on coursing were, perhaps, more keenly felt in Nenagh and the surrounding country than in any other part of Tipperary, but the sport is slowly recovering its popularity, as was evidenced by the revival of the North Tipperary Cup meeting at Ballintotty yesterday. The clashing with the Clonmel and Kilsheelan fixture, however, was not to the benefit of yesterday's meeting, but although the entry was a small one—that for the Cup especially so—the club deserve to be heartily complimented on reviving the fixture under rather dispiriting circumstances. Even the weather was against them, but the attendance was an excellent one, and there was plenty of variety about the sport, for the hares stood up in fine style, with, occasionally, one breaking back to the slipper's end. There was not an unsatisfactory course decided, although it will be inferred that a few of the greyhounds were harder run than others.

The North Tipperary Cup brought only eight greyhounds into opposition, and it resulted in a division between Miss Kathleen O'Reilly's pair, Orkit and Searshea. This son and daughter of the defunct Dick the Liar ran their two courses quite brilliantly, the bitch showing very good pace, but Orkit is the better runner of a hare, and he may also have quite as good pace as his kennel companion. This is the second Cup won by the young Clonmel coursing enthusiast, who also won the trophy at Kilmannock, County Wexford, last year. The best of the puppies was Castle Lad, which, in the decider for the Kilruane Stakes, had a hollow victory over the well-bred Beauty's Dream, leading a couple of lengths and having all the points.

KELLS MEETING—TO-DAY.

THE DRAW.

Judge—Mr. M. F. Davin. Slipper—M. Horan.
CEANNANUS MOR STAKES (and a Cup, presented by Mr. R. J. Duggan)—For 16 Puppies. Winner, £30 and Cup; second, £12; third and fourth, £3 each.
Mrs. P. McGirr's Murley Rebel v. Mr. P. Flynn's Flying Guard.
Mr. W. McDonnell's Hawkstar v. Mr. J. Corcoran's What's Best.
Mr. T. Cummisky's Come Off v. Mrs. C. M. Hourican's Breezy Fosess.
Mr. W. Fennel's Irish Brigade II. v. Mr. J. Matthews' Cherry's Double.
Mr. J. C. Gowing's Golden Grove v. Mr. J. Brady's Tubbertoby Lad.
Mr. R. Nelson's Cabra Playboy v. Mr. J. Gowing's Gallant Irishman.
Mr. M. A. Carney's Flaming Banner v. Messrs. W. and P. Sweeney's Swear the Truth.
Mr. R. Dunne's Try Another v. Mr. G. Irwin's Irnact Bile.
BALRATHBURRY STAKES (and the HolmPatrick Cup, presented by Lord HolmPatrick)—For 14 All-Ages. Winner, £30 and Cup; second, £12; third and fourth, £3 10/- each.
Mr. T. Jackson's Quiet Boy v. Mr. J. S. Griffin's Irish Cheer II.
Messrs. Langan and Lynch's Lomaire v. Mr. P. Flynn's Lenilough.
Mr. G. Rogers' Top Price v. Mr. T. J. Connolly's Noinin Beag.
Mr. J. Keenan's Flying Lad IV. v. Mr. J. Byrne's Volunteer Pride.
Mr. S. W. Fuller's First Capture v. Mr. M. Lynch's Victory Yet.
Mr. J. Brady's Brown Bed v. Mr. J. Monaghan's Rum 'Un.
Messrs. Ahern and Doyle's An Dail v. Mr. M. Mullally's Feabhra.
IRISHTOWN STAKES — For 18 Two-Course Maidens. Winner, £20; second, £9; third and fourth, £2 5/- each.
Mr. M. Kellaghan's Merry Might v. Mr. J. Meehan's Trocadero (late Southern Parliament).
Mr. M. Lennon's Kitty's Kid v. Mr. W. Flanagan's Fighting Still IV.
Mr. D. Traynor's Fordstown Star v. Mr. T. Sherry's Commander McKeon.
Mr. T. Caffrey's Carrick Hawk v. Mr. T. McEntegart's Mons Star.
Mr. W. J. Battersby's June Hawk v. Mr. P. J. Trant's Warrior X.
Mr. J. Corcoran's What's What v. Mr. P. Doyle's Shawn O'Farrell.
Mr. T. Newman's Lough Ennell Boy v. Mr. J. Gowing's Grandy.
Mr. C. Brady's Latton Lad a bye.
LOCAL STAKE—For 8 All-Ages. Winner, £6; second, £2.
Mr. W. J. Battersby's Overland v. Mr. J. Sweeney's Insurgent Boy.
Mr. P. T. Skelly's Red Head v. Mr. B. Caffrey's Foch II.
Mr. J. J. Tuite's Come On, Steve v. Mr. W. G. Wood's Lady Elsinore.
Mr. S. Kiernan's Hoey's Fancy v. Mr. W. Battersby's Gardenrath.
First brace in slips at 11.30 a.m.

BALLINASLOE.

DRAW FOR TO-DAY'S MEETING.

Judge—Mr. P. J. Murphy. Slipper—P. Norton.
CORREEN PUPPY STAKES—For 16 puppies. Winner, £25; second, £10; two dogs, £2 10/- each.
Mr. D. J. Garry's Shellfield agst. Mr. J. Poland's Lakefield Boy.
Mr. D. Toole's Muddeed II. agst. Mr. P. Lydon's Longshore Man.
Mr. M. Crotty's Clate Comrade agst. Mr. J. J. Elder's Kellysgrove.
Mr. J. P. Cooney's My Chum agst. Mr. J. Murphy's Cussa Bawn.
Mr. P. Givney's Frenchfort agst. Mr. J. P. Cooney's Carolus.
Mr. J. H. Taylor's Talented Lad agst. Mr. J. Egan's Irish Ensign.
Mr. J. W. Sweeney's Fair Una agst. Mr. James Ryan's Rory II.
Mr. Charles Kelly's Stolen Bride agst. Dr. O'Connell's Westward Bound.
BALLINASLOE STAKES—For 13 all-ages (with Cup, to be won twice in succession or three times in all by the same owner). Winner, £28; second, £10 10/-; two dogs, £3 10/- each.
Mr. D. J. Garry's Garryshane agst. Mr. P. J. Fahy's Fours.
Mr. J. M. Raftery's Fontenoy VI. agst. Mr. T. H. Taylor's Town Talk VI.
Mr. Orme Burnett's Durman agst. Mr. P. J. Raftery's Grindleford.
Mr. M. Nugent's No Change agst. Mr. T. Connolly's Glenrock.
Mr. J. M. Raftery's Fabiola agst. Mr. James Stone's Fane Lady.
Mr. T. J. Sweeney's Swanee agst. Mr. T. Kingston's Ileen's Fancy.
Mr. C. O'Connor's Old Curiosity a bye.
MOHER STAKE—For 16 all-ages. Winner, £25; second, £10; two dogs, £2 10/- each.
Mr. D. J. Garry's Vincent agst. Mr. P. J. Lydon's Lower Deck.
Mr. P. King's Buchal Duv agst. Mr. P. Givney's Gressil.
Mr. J. J. Nestor's Cheerful Joker agst. Mr. D. Corry's Pianola.
Mr. J. M. Raftery's Remember agst. Mr. R. Taylor's Ould Horse.
Mr. W. Corcoran's Oranmore Lass agst. Mr. Thomas Cusack's Flying Crow.
Mr. P. Matheson's Crayle Hill agst. Mr. E. McHugh's West Awake III.
Mr. T. Rogers' Skin the Goat agst. Miss M. Cooney's Casheen.
Mr. J. S. Harney's Cloughgalla agst. Mr. T. Kingston's Finota.

BOXING.

NEW BOXING LEGISLATION.

NEW YORK (By Mail.)

Boxing champions must defend their titles in *bona-fide* championship bouts at least once every six months, under a new championship ruling adopted by the New York State Athletic Commission. Failure to do so will result in indefinite suspension for the champion, and possibly the forfeiture of his title, while any boxer who engages a suspended champion in New York or elsewhere will suffer, in turn, indefinite suspension or the refusal of a licence to box in New York.

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RUGBY.

LONDON HOSPITALS (17) V. DUBLIN HOSPITALS (12).

A SPLENDID GAME.

The revival of the hospitals' match was a great success, and the big crowd that mustered in the College Park yesterday witnessed a game which was marked by some really good football. The ground was in fairly good order, and a fast and very interesting match resulted in a win for London by a goal and 4 tries to 4 tries. The match had been allowed to fall through for the last two seasons, but considerable interest was taken in it. The visitors made half a dozen changes, and travelling one short, D. Malan, the ex-Trinity half, played the scrums instead of O'Malley, who, it will be remembered, showed up well for Munster against Leinster last year. The visitors deserved their win, as the forwards got possession much oftener, while the handling by the backs of the greasy ball was far better.

Interest in the game was kept up all through by reason of the lead changing so often. Dublin opened the scoring. Cunningham cutting through in the first few minutes, and giving to Millin, who let O'Meara over, but the latter missed an easy shot. London forwards soon after came away in a great run, and a score looked certain, when a knock on over the line spoiled. Then the visitors had a grand back movement, which resulted in Bester crossing at the corner, but no goal resulted. Both sides now attacked in turn, and the Dublin forwards were coming away, when Neville dribbled from nearly half-way down the left to score a fine try, but Gaisford failed to improve. Soon after play was at the London 25, when Magowan got a smart pass out to Cunningham, who let Steele off to swerve past Gaisford to cross for a grand try, but again the kick failed. Following the kick off, play was at the Dublin 25, when Malan sent back to M'Gregor, who raced across the ground to cross for a try, but with the kick failing, London led at the interval by 9 points to 6.

Play on resuming was very even for some time, till Cunningham got hold at half-way, and, feinting cleverly, made a grand opening before transferring to Steele, who dashed over, but again the kick at goal failed. Soon after a grand movement by the visitors' backs, in which Malan, M'Gregor, Fitzgerald, and Millar took part, resulted in Bester in-passing to M'Gregor, who raced behind for Gaisford to convert. The Dublin forwards were now playing up hard, and a forward rush resulted in Spain crossing, but O'Meara failed with the kick. Dublin were keeping up the pressure, when Brown picked up, and, running to half-way, let M'Gregor away to score his third try, but the goal kick failed. For the last twenty-five minutes of the game London were without Bester, who got hurt and had to retire.

Gaisford, for London, fielded and kicked well, but his tackling at times was only moderate. Neville was about the pick of a fair three-quarter line. Malan, though at times appearing slow, played the scrums well, and combined cleverly with M'Gregor, who was the best back on the field, and fairly ran away from his opponents in scoring his three tries. The forwards were sound, Carnegie, Brown, Collis, Parker, and Allen being about the pick. Bingham, for Dublin, fielded badly, and, with the exception of Steele, the middle line were moderate. Steele, however, was really first-class. Magowan and Cunningham again hit it off well behind the scrimmages. Cunningham playing a first-class game, while the forwards were best represented by Spain, Crichton, Smith, and Clinch.

Result:—
London Hospitals—1 goal, 4 tries (17 pts.).
Dublin Hospitals—4 tries (12 points).

Teams:—
Dublin—E. W. Bingham (Dun's); D. J. Cussen (Baggot street), C. M. O'Meara (Dental), T. J. Millin (Dun's), J. F. Steele (Dun's); W. Cunningham (Dental), P. Magowan (Mater); R. Y. Crichton (Dun's), A. Spain (Mater), A. Courtney (St. Vincent's), J. D. Clinch (Dun's), R. D. Crawford (Baggot street), C. Godfrey (St. Vincent's), P. A. Smith (Mater), J. Loubser (Adelaide).
London—W. G. Gaisford (Barts); L. C. Neville, M. G. Fitzgerald (Barts), A. K. Miller, C. P. Bester (Thomas'); D. Malan (R.C.D.), H. M'Gregor (Barts); A. Carnegie-Brown (capt.), G. W. Parker, A. E. Beith (Barts), E. C. Archer, H. S. Allen (Thomas'), W. R. Collis (King's), A. C. M'Leod (Middlesex), T. P. Briggs (Barts).
Referee—Mr. J. H. Miles.

TO-DAY'S FIXTURES.

Dublin University v. Blackrock College. College Park, 3 p.m.
Old Wesley 3rd v. Lansdowne 3rd. Donnybrook, 3.30 p.m.
Kilkenny v. Dublin University 2nd. Kilkenny.
Monkstown 2nd v. University College 2nd. Sydney Parade.
St. Andrew's College v. Monkstown 3rd "A." Stillorgan road.
Bective Rangers 2nd v. College of Science (J.L.). Donnybrook.
College of Science 2nd v. Bective Rangers 3rd (M.L.). Beech Hill.
Belvedere College (S.C.T.) v. Wesley College (S.C.T.). Jones's road.
St. Stephen's Green School v. Belvedere College 2nd. Merton.
Wesley College (J.C.T.) v. Belvedere College (J.C.T.). Bloomfield.
Belvedere College (Under 13) v. Wesley College (Under 13). Jones's road.
Blackrock College (J.C.T.) v. Presentation College, Bray (J.C.T.). Williamstown.
King's Hospital v. Earlsfort H.S. Blackhall place.
Morgan's School v. Sandford P.S. Castleknock.
Presentation College, Bray (Under 14) v. Sandford P.S. (Under 14). Bray.
The match between Palmerston 2nd and Old Wesley 2nd has been cancelled at the latter's request.

TEAMS FOR TO-DAY.

Dublin University.—E. W. Bingham; D. Cussen, T. J. Millin, M. Sugden, J. F. Steele; G. F. Gillespie, J. Loubser; O. Chance, J. D. Clinch, R. Y. Crichton, R. H. Dowse, J. H. Du Toit, J. M. Shepherd, I. M. Stuart, J. K. S. Thompson.

Blackrock.—J. O'K. White; M. James, M. McGowan, T. Tierney, J. Moriarty; A. Kelly, P. Tierney; M. Finn, D. Browne, M. Gleeson, J. Gleeson, S. Keogh, M. Cogan, J. C. Birmingham, F. Lynch. Sub.—J. Sullivan.

Lansdowne 3rd—F. O'Rorke; R. Falkner, T. Hadden, J. McGarrigle, J. K. Murray; A. G. Murray, R. Lyburn; J. Lyburn, H. V. Millar, T. B. Pike, P. Spur, J. Isaacson, J. Barrett, M. Scott, M. Bell.

Royal College of Science.—E. V. Wakeley; R. E. Russell, M. Hogan, M. P. Ruddle, C. L. Jacob; D. T. Archer, P. J. Egan; R. W. Poots, R. W. Hannigan, S. D. Houston, D. F. MacCarthy, G. H. Henry, L. F. Wilkinson, R. W. O'Sullivan, H. Montgomery.

OLD WESLEY F.C.

Mr. W. A. Hunter has been appointed hon. secretary of Old Wesley F.C., in place of Mr. E. Holland, resigned, and in future all communications should be addressed to 10 Charlemont road, Clontarf.

INTERNATIONAL COLLEGIATE LAWN TENNIS.

VISIT OF TWO AMERICAN TEAMS NEXT YEAR.

NEW YORK (By Mail).

A statement issued by the United States Lawn Tennis Association says:—International tennis matches between college players of the United States and England are to be accorded official status in the growing list of international amateur sport competitions. It is probable that in the not distant future the 'Varsity racquet experts will have their own international trophy contests, similar to the Davis Cup.

The initial step in this direction has been taken by Mr. Dwight F. Davis, President of the United States Lawn Tennis Association, when he appointed the following members of the International Inter-Collegiate Committee to advise and assist in the greater development of this phase of the game:—Messrs. R. Norris Williams, Holcombe Ward, Karl H. Behr, Lucien E. Williams, Dean Mathey, George T. Adee, Carl Pfaffman, captain of Harvard tennis team (ex-officio), Arnold W. Jones, captain of Yale tennis team (ex-officio), John E. Howard, captain of Princeton tennis team (ex-officio), and Bernon S. Prentice, Chairman.

A somewhat similar committee will shortly be appointed in England to represent Oxford, Cambridge, and, possibly, other Universities. Following the appointment of the English Committee, the two bodies will work together with the undergraduates of the various institutions interested for the purpose of more firmly establishing and giving the official sanction and support to these international intercollegiate contests. The United States Lawn Tennis Association has already sanctioned the trip of the Yale and Harvard tennis team to England in 1924.

These biennial tours, alternating between England and the United States are now firmly established, and have come to be an outstanding feature of the intercollegiate tennis season. According to the present plan of the American colleges, two intercollegiate teams will play in England next season. The combined Harvard-Yale team will probably leave in June, and will be followed shortly by a group of Princeton and Stanford players. It is probable that each of these teams will consist of twelve players who, in addition to meeting Oxford and Cambridge, will compete in a number of other contests. These will consist of matches with various English tennis clubs and participation in several of the larger English open tournaments, concluding with the Championships at Wimbledon, which begin on June 23rd.

SELECTIONS FOR TO-DAY'S DERBY MEETING.

PAPER.	1.0 RACE.	1.30 RACE.	2.0 RACE.	2.35 RACE.	3.5 RACE.	3.30 RACE.
[illegible]	Royal Hussar.*	Kallikrates.	The Night Patrol.	Wayward colt.	Pomander.	Hard Battle.
[illegible]	Royal Hussar.	Buzz On.	Pondoland.	Caravel; if ab., Heverswood.	Wooer.	Hard Battle.
[illegible]	Royal Hussar.*	Kallikrates.	The Night Patrol.	Heverswood.	Pomander.	Hard Battle.
[illegible]	Pentridge.	Entangler.	Re-Echo.	Heverswood.	Pomander.*	Waterbuck.
[illegible]	Royal Hussar.	Kallikrates.	Re-Echo.	Heverswood.	Resinato.	Hard Battle.
[illegible]	Royal Hussar.*	Kallikrates.	Re-Echo.	Heverswood.	Resinato.	Hard Battle.
[illegible]	Royal Hussar.*	True Knight.	Re-Echo.	Heverswood.	—	Mount Juliet.
[illegible]	Royal Hussar; if ab., Irish Eagle.	Tip Tree.	The Night Patrol.*	Heverswood (next best).	Resinato; if ab., Pomander.	Hard Battle.
[illegible]	Royal Hussar.	Hartshead.	Re-Echo.	Heverswood.	Pomander.	Mount Juliet.
[illegible]	Pentridge.	Eagle's Tail.*	Bonne Race.	Orland.	Resinato.	Hard Battle.
[illegible]	Royal Hussar.	Flock.	Re-Echo.*	Heverswood.	Pomander.	Rocken.
[illegible]	Paxton.*	Vain Simon.	The Night Patrol.	Caravel.*	Zoza.	Ironbridge.
[illegible]	Royal Hussar.	Buzz On.	The Night Patrol.	Heverswood.	Windward.	Bombino.
[illegible]	Royal Hussar; if ab., Lady Looking Glass c.	Polycarey.	Re-Echo.	Caravel; if ab., Montifringilla.	Pomander.	Mount Juliet.
[illegible]	Royal Hussar.	—	Re-Echo.	Honeyguide.	Zoza.	[illegible]

FINANCIAL NEWS AND NOTES.

IRISH STOCK EXCHANGES.

DUBLIN.

DEPRESSED QUOTATIONS IN FUNDS AND BANK STOCK; TOBACCOS AND SHELLS RALLYING. TEXTILES OFFERED.

The record of yesterday's transactions on the Dublin Stock Exchange was distinctly disappointing, as further material declines were established, but some of the price movements belonged in reality to the past few days' depression rather than the actual day's fluctuations owing to the absence of quotations recording the decline at the time. It is, however, believed the "shake out" will do the market good, and already in a few directions fresh support showed signs of coming forward. The Funds quoted show mostly sharp falls on last prices quoted here, but War Loan 5 p.c. was freely bid for at yesterday's figure. The Bank market was conspicuous by a fall of several points in Bank of Ireland Stock; otherwise quotations were quietly supported. Guinness Ord. for cash gave way, but other prices in Breweries and Distilleries were well held. City Steam Pref. relapsed, and Marconi Shares were dull. Great Northern Ord. Stock rallied somewhat from the previous day's depression. Midland Great Western Ord. was still under sale pressure. Dunlop and Parent Tyre issues were quiet. Tobaccos hardened a trifle, and Shell Transports also recovered tone.

In the Funds, etc., Consols fell ¼ to 56½, Guaranteed Land 2½ p.c. 1½ to 59½, Irish Land 2½ p.c. 1½ to 58⅝, and India 3½ p.c. 2⅜ to 66½, but War Loan 5 p.c. closed ⅛ better at 100 to 100¼ nominally, and at the later market further improved to 100⅜. Dublin Port and Docks fell ¼ to 57, and Dublin Corporation Stock repeated 67⅜.

In Banking Securities, Bank of Ireland Stock slumped 3½ to 244, but Nationals rose ½ to 19½, and Munsters were steady at 6⅝.

Breweries and Distilleries were busy, and the only change was a fall of ¼ to 37¼ in Guinness Ord. Shares, but at the later market the price rallied to 37½. The Pref. repeated 11⅞, Dublin Distillers Pref. 61s. 3d., J. Jameson and Son Debs. 7⅛ ½, and J. Power and Son Pref. 20s.

City of Dublin Steam Pref. fell 1 to 101½. Marconi Ord. fell 3d. to 43s. 9d., but Radio Pref. repeated 17s.

As regards Home Rails, Great Northern Ord. recovered ⅜ to 60⅜, but the Pref. fell ½ to 64½. Great Southern Ord. repeated 47⅞ and the Pref. 58½. Midland Great Western Ord. fell ⅛ to 35, while the 4½ p.c. Debs. show no change at 73. Ballinrobe and Clare-morris Baronial fell 1s. to 59s. for an odd lot.

In Trams, Dublin United Pref. remain bid for at 9⅞, the last business done level, but the 4 p.c. (D.S.D.) 4 p.c. Debs. gave way ⅛ to 66.

Dunlop Rubber Ord. fell 3d. to 8s. 9d., and Parent Tyre Ord. rose 1s. 3d. to 13s. 9d.

Alliance and Dublin Consumers Gas Shares fell ⅛ to 62.

In Bakery Shares, Bolands Ord. fell 6d. to 55s. 6d. for a small lot.

Drapery Shares were quiet. Arnott Ord. fell ⅛ to 4⅜, while the Pref. repeated 75s., and Todd Burns Pref. 74s.

Among Manufacturing Shares, British-American Tobaccos rallied 3d. to 102s. 6d., and Imperials 6d. to 69s. 9d., after touching 70s. Coats were steadier at 63s., but Cottons fell 4½d. to 47s. 9d., and Spinners 1s. 6d. to 47s. 6d. Helys Ord. rose 6d. to 22s., and Lever Bros. 7 p.c. Pref. 1½d. to 21s. 7½d.

In Trading, etc., Burke Debs. fell ½ to 8, while Thom Debs. repeated 65.

Other business done included *Daily Mail* Trust 7 p.c. Debs., which repeated 2⅜ prem. Distillers New Pref. opened 6d. prem., and closed at 3d. prem. Shells rose 2s. 3d. to 78s. 6d.

BUSINESS DONE AT ALL SESSIONS.

Transactions for cash marked "c."

Consols .....(56⅛) 56½ | M.G.W. Ord.....(35½) 35
6% War Loan (100) 100½ | Do. 4½% Deb...(73) *73
War Bonds 1928..105 | Ballinrobe ....(60/-) *59/-
Treas. Bonds 1935..100⅜ | Dublin Tram Pf..(9¾) 9¾
Guar. Land....(61⅛) 59½ | Do. D.S.D.T. Deb....58
2½% Land Act.(60½) 58½ | Parent Ord...(12/6) 13/9
India 3½% (68½) 66½ | Dunlops .....(9/-) 8/9
Dublin Stock..(67½) 67⅜ | Alliance Gas.....(61½) 62
Dublin Port.....(57½) 57 | Arnott Ord.....(5) 99/4
Bank of Ireland (247½) 244c | Todd Burns Pref. (74/-) 74/-
Nat. & Lein....(6¾) *6⅝ | B.A.T. .....(102/3) 102/6
National ...(19¾) *19⅝c | Imp. Tob.(69/9) 70/- 69/9
Hib. Bk. Pf.(6⅞) 6⅞ | Coats .....(63/-) 63/-
Guinness ...(37⅛) 37¼c | Cottons .....(48/1½) 47/9
Do. Pref.....(11½) 11½ | Spinners .....(49/-) 47/6
Jameson Deb. (7¼) 7⅛ | Hely's Ord.(21/6) 21/7½c
Power Pref...(20/-) *20/- | Burke Deb.....(8½) 8
City Stm. Pf.(102¼) 101½ | Thom Deb.....(65) *65
Marconi .....(44/-) 43/9 | *Daily Mail* Debs..2⅜ pm.
G.N. Ord.....(60) 60⅜ | Distillers Pf.6d. *3d. pm.
Do. Pref.....(65) *64½ | Radio Pref.....17/-
G.S.W. Ord....(47½) 47⅜ | Shells .....(76/5) *78/6
Do. Pref.....(58½) 58½

*Odd lot: b bid, a asked.
(Last business done given in parentheses.)

IRISH BANKS' RATE.

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Deposit ..... 2 p.c. 5th July, 1923.

STOCK EXCHANGE SETTLEMENTS.

Mining contango day ... | Nov. 26
General contango day ... | Nov. 27
Ticket day ..... Nov. 14 | Nov. 28
Account day ..... Nov. 15 | Nov. 29

BELFAST.

Business Done:—War Loan Inscribed and Registered, 100, ¼, ⅛, ⅛; Northern Bank "A," 5⅛; Coats, 63s. 6d.; York Street 6 p.c. Cum. Pref., 9⅞; Dunville, 11½; John Arnott and Co. 4½ p.c. Deb., 79; British-American Tobacco, 102s. 6d., 101s. 6d., 102s.; Imperial Tobacco Co., 70s. 6d.; Bryant and May 14 p.c. Cum. Pref., 46s.; Lever Bros. 6 p.c. Cum A Pref., 20s. 10½d.; Rovers, 14s.

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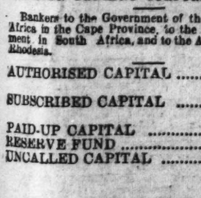

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LONDON STOCKS BETTER.

SLIGHT RECOVERY.

The Stock markets opened yesterday morning with a slightly more cheerful tone, largely owing to a sharp recovery in foreign exchanges and the probability that the period of uncertainty arising out of the general election will be shorter than was expected. Later on there was an almost general recovery, following a lead set by Gilt-edged securities, but this was not continued, and the tone during the afternoon and towards the close was very quiet. In the Gilt-edged market during the day British Funds showed a disposition to recover from the slump of Monday, and there were several advances. Consols rose ½ to 56½. The 5 per cent. War Loan at 100 rose ¼; Funding Loan put on a point at 87, and the Conversion Loan at 76½ rose a point. India 7 per cent. Loan fell 1 to 114. FOREIGN GOVERNMENT SECURITIES were firmer on the lead of French Loans, which were quite strong. The Fives at 26½ rose 1⅛, and the Fours at 20 gained ½. Egyptian Unified at 72 ex div. rose ½; Japan 4½ per cent. at 107 fell a point.

The HOME RAILWAY market was more cheerful and responded to the improved tone elsewhere, but, at the same time, changes were only small, the market being very cautious. Great Westerns were unchanged. London Midland and Scottish Ord. at 103⅜ rose ⅛, and the 4 per cent. Pref. at 79½ gained a point. London and North-Easterns generally recovered the losses of Monday. The Def.-Ord. rose ⅛ to 31⅞, while the 1st Pref. at 79½ and the 2nd Pref. at 78½ both gained a point. In Southerns, the only security was a rise of ⅛ to 39 in the Def.-Ord. Undergrounds generally recovered, Metropolitans being 1 up at 74½, Districts ⅛ at 54, and Underground Electric Income Bonds 1 at 100.

The COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAIL market was remarkable for the downward movements in Grand Trunks; the Guaranteed at 79 fell 2 points, the Pacific Debs. 2 points to 39½, and the Perpetual Debs. 1 to 79. Argentines were better; B.A.G.S. rose ½ to 80½, Pacifics ½ to 70½, Westerns 1 to 71, and Centrals ½ to 65½. Americans were steady, but quiet.

OIL SHARES ACTIVE.

ROYAL DUTCH AND SHELLS IN FAVOUR.

Leading issues continued to monopolise attention in the Oil Share market yesterday, with Royal Dutch and Shells providing the most active spots, but although both shares registered advances, as a result of the day's business, final prices were below the best. Movements in other favourites were of an irregular character. The commencement of dealings for the new account was characterised by a continuance of active business in Shells and Royal Dutch. As a result of the day's business both Shells and Royal Dutch showed further advances. Anglo-Persians, however, failed to hold the whole of the preceding day's advance, and Burmahs also left off slightly easier. Mexican Eagles were an uninteresting market. An irregular tendency characterised Trinidad issues. Leaseholds left off easier, but Apex and United British improved. A further decline in Phœnix was the only quotable alteration among Rumanians, while, apart from a loss in North Caucasians, Russians were unchanged. The British Controlled issues failed to make any recovery, but V.O.C. holdings hardened. Anglo-Ecuadorians were held for in the early hours at an advance, but slipped back in the afternoon, and finally registered a small loss. Closing prices:—

M. U.	
Nov. 13.	
13	Agwi Petroleum .....
3½	Anglo-American .....
1⅜	Anglo-Ecuadorian .....
1½	Anglo-Egyptian .....
2/3	Anglo-Persian 8 p.c. .....
23/3	Do. 9 p.c. 2nd Pref...
2⅜	Do. Ord., issued 5½ p.c.
9/1½	Do. 5 p.c. Deb. .....
2⅜	Apex Trinidad .....
8/-	Brit. Borneo Pet. (10/-) ..
8/6	British Burmah (8/-) .....
20/6½	British Controlled .....
6/4½	Do. Pref. .....
4⅝	Burmah .....
24/9	Do. 8 p.c. Pref. .....
2/6	Caltex .....
14/0	Dacia Romano .....
5¼	Eagle Transport .....
102	Do. 7 p.c. Notes .....
100	Do. Bearer .....
4/3	General Pet. Trinidad A.
—	Indo Burmah .....
15/3	Kern River (10/-) .....
6⅝	Lobitos .....
21/3	Mexican Eagle .....
21/4½	Do. Pref. .....
13/10½	Do. 7 p.c. Pref. .....
10/6	North Caucasian (10/-)..
—	Oilfields Egypt .....
—	Pera Syndicate .....
17/9	Phœnix .....
2/0	Premier Oil .....
—	Rumanian Consolidated..
34	Royal Dutch .....
6/9	Scottish American .....
3⅜	Shell Transport .....
9¾	Do. 5 p.c. Pref. (£10).
24/3	Do. 7 p.c. Pref. .....
3/3	Spies (10/-) .....
7/0	Steaua Romana .....
5/3	Tankers Pref. .....
—	Trinidad Central .....
1⅜	Trinidad Leases .....
8/9	United Brit. Trinidad ..
11/4	Ural Caspian .....
4/3	Uroz Oil .....
1⅜	V.O.C. Holdings .....
1⅜	Do. 7 p.c. Pref. .....

INSURANCE SHARES.

BUSINESS DONE IN LONDON.—Atlas, 17½, ⅞; Commercial Union, 19½, 19⅝, ⅞, ½, £16 14/-, 18½; Eagle Star, 14/-, 14/3; Employers' Liability, 37/1½, 7/-, 6/9; General Accident, 6⅝, ¼; Guardian, 6½, ⅝, £6 18/-; North British, 25/3, ½, ⅜; Phœnix, 10⅜, £10 14/-, 10⅝, £10 11/6; United Britain, 8/6.

BUSINESS DONE IN LIVERPOOL:—Alliance, 13⅞; Commercial Union, 19⅛, ⅜, ⅞, ⅝; Employers' Liability, 86/-, 5d.; General Accident, 135/1½, 3/-; Guardian Assurance, 6/-, 2/6, 9/-; Liverpool & p.c. Thames and Mersey Deb. Stock, 80½; London and Lancashire, 15; North British and Mercantile, x.d., 16, ½; Northern Assurance, x.d., 15, 14⅜; do. Pat. Pref., 16½; Phœnix, 10⅜; do. Pelican, 11½; do. Forwich Union, 11⅜, ½; Royal Insurance, x.d., 154, ½; Sea, 3⅞, ⅜.

TEA SHARES.

Market weak and prices lower. Anglo-Ceylon Estates, 47/7½-1/4½; Assam £116-1½; Chargola, 51/3-9d.; Doom Dooma, £33½-½; East Assam, £26⅜-½; E.I. and Ceylon, 44/-+9d.; East Produce, 56/-1/6; Empire, 57/9-1/9; Imperial Ord., 38/6-6d.; Jokai, £43½-½; Lungla, 29/9+5d.; Nedeem, 59/+9d.

Business Done:—Anglo-Ceylon, 47/7½; Assam, 116, 15, 15½, 16; Chargola, 51⅜, 3d.; Dimbula Valley, 47/-; Doom Dooma, 33½; East India, 44/6, 4/-; Eastern Produce (x.d.), 56/6-5/6, 6/-Empire, 57/9; Imperial 38/4½, 2d., 7½d., 6d.; Jokai, 43⅝, ½, 3; Lebong, 59/6; Lungla, 29/9; Nedeem, 59/-, 8/6, 9d., 9/-; Rejawella, 19/5½, 3d.

CLOSING PRICES.

The quotations in the following tables were made up at an earlier hour than, and may, therefore, vary to some extent from, those given in our comments:—

CONSOLS, ETC.

Consols ..... 56-57+ ⅛	2½ % Cons. I.n.... 78-77+1
War Ln. 5% ... 99-99	Irish Land 2½ 59-60
do. 4½ % 97-98	India 3½ 66-5
do. 3½ ..... 89½-90½ ⅛ + ⅛	do. 3½ 66-66
Do. 4 % (Tax free) 100-101	do. 3% 101-102
Fund'g L'n. ..... 56-56+1	do. 2½ ..... 112-113—1
Victory Bds. 99-99	Local Loans 62-63
	Sudan 5% inc. 107-109

COLONIAL GOVERNMENT STOCKS.

Alberta 4½ 1942 .. 97-94	Nigeria 6% ..... 113-115—1
Aust.Com.5½ 1955 102-102*	Q'sland 4.1940-50 82-3—
do. 5% 104-106	do. 4½ 1930-5 ... 97-9—1
Brit.Col.4½ 1941 91-92	do. 4% 1930-60 ... 104-4
Canada 4% ..... 97-99—1	S. Africa 4% Cons 97-80—1
do.4½1936-5 99½-100*	do. 5% 104-106*
Cape 3½ Cons..... 80-82	S.A.Stk'ln'd 4.40-60 80-80—1
Ceylon 6% ..... 107-9—1	do. 5½ 98-101*
Natal 3½ '43 66-67	do. 5% ..... 102-5—1
N.S.W.4½1932-7 97-90	Victoria 4.1940-60 87-89
do. 5½1932-7 ... 99-101*	do. 6½ 1924-8 ... 100-2*
do.5½ 1927-47 101*	W.Aust'ln'd 4.57-67 84-86
do.6% 1930-40 ... 108-8—1	do.5½ 1930-40 102-104
N.Zeal'd 4. '29... 94-96*	

AMERICAN RAILS.

M.U. Nov. 13.		
—	Atchison	109 — 111*
—	Baltimore	66 — 68
—	Chesapeake	82 — 84
—	Chicago, Milwaukee	14 — 16
⅛	Erie	17 — 19 +1
—	Do. 1st Pref.	29 — 31 +2
—	New York, Ontario	17 — 19 +1
41½	Southern Common	41 — 43
—	Do. Pref.	75 — 77
—	Southern Pacific	96 — 100
—	Union Pacific	149 — 151

BRITISH RAILS.

110⅝	Great Western	109½	110½
103⅜	Lon., Mid. & Scot. Ord....	103	104 + ⅜
—	Do. 4 p.c. Pref.	78	81 +1
—	Do. 4½ p.c. Red. Pref..	97	100
—	Do. 5 p.c. Red. Pref..	98	101
—	Do. 4 p.c. Pref., 1923.	76	79
84½	Lon. North-East. 5 p.c. Pref. Ord.	84	85
31⅝	Do. Def. Ord.	31½	32 + ⅜
—	Do. 4 p.c. 1st Pref....	78	81 +1
—	Do. 4 p.c. 2nd Pref....	77	80 +1
74¼	Metropolitan	74	74 +1
—	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	98	99
54	Do. District	53½	54½ + ⅜
86	Southern Pref. Ord.	85	86
39	Do. Def. Ord.	39¼	39⅝ + ⅜
99¾	Do. Income Bonds.....	99	101 +1
103	Do. 6 p.c. Debs.	104	108*

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS.

82¾	Antofagasta	82	83
—	Argentine G.W. Ord.....	75½	77½
—	Bahia Blanca	78	80
—	Brazil Railway Common.	¾	1¼
80	Buenos Ayres Gt. S.....	79½	81⅜ + ⅜
69⅛	Buenos Ayres and Pacific	69½	71⅝ + ⅛
70	Buenos Ayres and W....	70	72* +1
166½	Canadian Pacific	166	168
68½	Central Argentine	68½	67½* + ⅜
41½	Central Uruguay	41	43*
—	Entre Rios	15½	17½
—	Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	67	68
—	Grand Trunk 4 p.c. Gnar.	78	80 —2
—	Grand Trunk 4 p.c. Deb..	37	41 —2
—	Do. 4 p.c. Perp. Deb..	78	80 —1
19	Leopoldina	18½	20½
9½	Mexican Rails	9	10
28	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	27	29
17½	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	17	19
2	Mexican Nat. 1st Pref...	4	6
2	Mexican Nat. 2nd Pref..	1½	2½
134	San Paulo Ord.	134	140
78	United Havana	78	77*

FOREIGN BONDS.

99	Argentine, 1886	98	100
73	Do. 4 p.c. Rescissions	72	74
88½	Do. 5 p.c. 1909	91	93
40	Brazil 4 p.c., 1889	39	41
79⅜	Do. Funding, 1908.....	78	80
68½	Do. 5 p.c., 1914	64	70*
91⅜	Chinese 5 p.c., 1896....	91	93*
79¾	Do. 4½ p.c., 1898	79	81
87	Do. 5 p.c., 1912	86	88
22½	Czecho-Slovakia Bonds ..	92	94
71½	Egyptian Unified	71	73* + ⅜
26¾	French Loan	26	27 +1¼
20	Do. 4 p.c.	19½	20½ + ⅜
13/6	German 3 p.c.	1/-	⅛*
20½	Italian Rentes	19	21
102⅜	Japanese 4½ p.c. 1st	106	108 —1
91	Do. 4 p.c., 1905	91	94
83	Do. New 5 p.c., 1907.	82	84
52	Mexican 5 p.c., '99	50	53
62	Do. 6 p.c. 10-Y. Treas	60	63
—	Peruvian Corporation ...	3½	3½
28¾	Do.	28	29
93	Do. Deb.	92	94
31¾	Portuguese 3 p.c.	30½	32½
107⅜	San Paulo 8 p.c.	107	109
—	Spanish 4 p.c.	83	86*
82	Uruguay 3½ p.c.	81½	82¾*

BANKS.

—	Agricultural of Egypt ..	6¾	7
—	Anglo-South American ..	7½	7⅜*
—	Australasia	38½	39¼
—	Bank of New Zealand...	2⅞	2⅞
—	Barclays "A"	8½	8⅝
—	British of Foreign Trade	⅜	⅝
—	British Transcontinental	3¼	3¾
—	Canadian of Commerce..	42	43 + ⅜
—	Chartered of India	18½	19
—	Hong Kong	123	125 —1
—	Lloyds	48/9	49/- —3/6
—	London and Brazilian ...	18¾	19½
—	London City Midland ...	8¾	8¾
—	National Discount "B" ..	8	8½
—	National Prov. (Ex D.)..	11	11¾ — ⅜
—	Royal Bank of Canada...	11	11½
—	Standard South Africa ..	10¾	11
—	Union of Australia	14¾	15⅛
—	Westminster Bank	17⅝	17¾ — ⅜

TELEGRAPHS.

23¾	Anglo-American Def.	23	23¾
2⅛	Marconi Wireless Ord. ..	2¼	2⅜
1⅞	Do. Pref.	1¾	2
—	Do. Debs.	102	104
1¾	Do. Marine	1⅞	1⅞
7/0	Do. Canada	6¾	6/10 — 0/1½
—	Oriental Telephone	1½	⅝
14/0	Radio Corporation	14/0	14/6
17/3	Do. Pref.	16/7½	17/1½

MISCELLANEOUS.

—	Abonkir Land	⅞	1
24/9	Aerated Bread	24½	25
29/6	African and East. Trade.	27/6	29/6
20½	Allianza	20	21*
9/0	Allsopp £1 Shares	⅜	½
—	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	63	66
8/9	Amalgamated Cotton	8/3	9/3 — 0/3
2⅞	Anglo-Argentine Tel Pref.	2⅛	2½
2⅞	Anglo-Chilian Nitrate ...	2½	2⅝*
8/6	Argentine Northern Land	3/-	3/6
—	Do. Southern Land	⅛	¼
17/9	Armstrong, W. G.)	17/6	18/6 + 0/3
24/0	Associated Cement	24/0	25/0
18/3	Do. Pref.	17/9	18/9
6⅞	Assd. Newspapers Def..	6¾	6⅞
—	Bartholomay Pref.	¾	¾
92	Bass, Ratcliff 5 p.c. Pref.	91	94
80/3	Do. Ord.	79/-	79/-
44/6	Bleachers	2¾	2⅝
30/0	Borax Con. Def.	1/3	1/6 — 1½
29/0	Bovril Def.	1/3	1/6
41	Brazilian Traction	41	42* +1
29/9	British Portland Cement	1½	1⅝
10/9	B.S.A.	10/0	11/0
8/3	British Cellulose Ord. ..	8/-	8/6 — 0/1½
26/6	British Oil and Cake ..	1⅛	1⅜
11/0	B.N.B. Land	1⅛	1⅜
81½	Brit. Col. Electric Rail..	80	82
—	Do. 5 p.c. Debs.....	99	92 +2
36/6	Brunner Mond	35/6	37/6*
46/6	Bryant and May	23½	23¾ — ⅜
23/6	Bradford Dyers	23⅛	23⅞
101/6	Brit.-Amer. Tobacco	101/6	102/6 + 1/6
—	British Glass	1/3	1/6 + 0/1½
27/0	Calico Printers	1½	1¾
14/9	Cammell Laird	14/6	15/6
17/0	Cargo Fleet	17/0	18/0
63/6	Coats	2½	2½
59/6	Courtaulds	2⅛	2⅜
—	Court Line	29/4½	30/4½
3/0	Crosse and Blackwell ...	2/9	3/0
—	Canard Ord.	1⅛	1
—	De La Rue Deb.	31	33
8/9	Dunlop Rubber	8/3	8/9
106⅝	Do. Def.	103	108
—	Do. Amer. Tire Deb..	101	102
16/0	Dorman Long	15/6	16/3
—	Elder Dempster 6 p.c. Pf.	19/9	20/6
—	English Electric	1⅛	1⅜ — 0/3
47/0	Fine Cotton Spinners ..	2⅞	3⅛ + ⅛
48/3	Fine Spinners	2¾	2⅞ + ⅛
21/0	Forestal Land	1	1⅛
—	Furness Withy	1½	1⅝
18/9	General Electric Ord. ...	18/9	20/3 — 0/6
—	Do. Debs.	102¾	104¼ —
373	Guinness	360	380*
—	Do. Pref.	117	122*
—	Gramophone Ord.	1½	1¾
90/0	Harrods	1½	1⅝ — ⅜
—	Hoyle Deb.	103½	105
5¾	Hudson's Bay Ord.	5¾	6⅛
19/6	Imperial Tobacco Ord..	69/8	71/6 + 2/0
17/9	John Brown	17/0	19/0
12/6	Kelly (Jas.)	12/0	13/0
—	Lautaro Nitrate	7¾	8¼ + ¼
21/7½	Lever 7 p.c. Pref.	21/0	22/0 — 0/3
—	Lever 7 p.c. Debs.	103¾	107½
—	Lever 5 p.c. Debs.	85	87
23/0	Lipton	1/0	1/3
4/3	Lyons (J.)	4/3	5
29/9	Lagunas Nitrate	1/-	1/4
—	Linen Thread Ord.	1½	1¾
—	Lister Ord.	1½	1⅝
—	Liverpool Nitrate	3/6	3/9
84/6	London Nitrate	84/0	84/6
—	Mackintosh (J.) Pref. ...	27/0	28/0
6/1½	Maypole Def.	6/0	7/0
—	Mond Nickel Pref.	1¾	1¾
20	Mexican Trams	20	23
7/9	Do. Bonds	7/3	8/-
—	Do. L. and P. Bonds...	68	69 —1
15/0	Niger Pref.	14/6	15/6
21/0	Nobel Ord.	20/6	21/6
20/6	Do. Pref.	20/0	21/0
—	Do. Def.	7/9	8/9
1½	Parent Tyre Def.	1½	1¾
13/0	Do. Ord.	12/6	13/6
18/6	Pease and Partners	18/6	20/0*
—	P. and O. Def.	300	310
7/6	Pekin Syndicate	7/6	8/6
—	Peter Walker Ord.	18/0	19/0
34/3	Pinti Bros. Ord.	33/6	34/0
—	Royal Mail Order Debs.	89	94*
21/3	Rio Negro Lands	2½	2⅝
30/0	Rolls Royce	1/9	1/9
25/0	Rosario Nitrate	1/-	1/3
21/0	Salt Union	20/6	21/6
37/6	South Durham Steel	2⅞	3
—	San Paulo Tram Deb. ...	81	86
23/0	South African Breweries.	21½	21½
120½	Shaw Savill Water Debs.	111	118
40/6	Santa Rita Nitrate	41/0	43/0
7⅞	Santiago Nitrate	2¾	3
44/0	Sater del Carmen	44/0	45/0
—	Selfridge 6 p.c. Pref. ...	1/6	1/9
15/0	Siemens	1/-	1/3
—	Smallfield Arg. Meat ...	⅞	1
1½	Spratt's Patent	1½	1⅝
—	Tilling Ord.	2¾	2⅞
—	Do. 5½ p.c. Cons. Pref.	4¾	4¾
18/3	Tarapaca Nitrate	18/0	19/0
—	Union Cold Storage Pref.	1⅝	1¾
—	United Alkali	1⅛	1⅜
9/6	United Steel	9/0	10/0
14/0	Vickers Ord.	13/6	14/6
1⅜	Van Den Berghs	1½	1⅝
—	Do. Pref.	3¾	3¾*
—	Walker (John) Pref.	20/0	21/0
16/9	Wallpaper Def.	16	16
—	Weardale Iron C.P.C....	1½	1⅝

* Ex div. † Ex bonus. ‡ Ex rights.

LONDON MINING MARKET GOOD.

HEAVY BUYING OF KAFFIRS.

The Mining departments, which are only sympathetically affected by political uncertainties, continued in good fettle, and in several directions there were unmistakable signs of a broadening of public interest. Despite the incidence of the general carry-over, Kaffirs again attracted a great deal of attention, the highly satisfactory position and prospects of the industry bringing in buyers on home, Continental and Cape account. The news that the Supreme Court of the Union upholds the decision of the magistrate that the regulation known as the "Colour Bar" is *ultra vires* was a stimulating factor. It is recognised that, as was stated at the time of the magisterial ruling, there is not the slightest doubt that the removal of the colour bar would revolutionise mining in the Transvaal, and already the effect of the elimination of redundant white employés and the greater efficiency of the workers is being reflected in the actual results obtained by the producing mines. The industry is now on a sounder basis than for years past, and it is, therefore, not surprising to find the shares of good-class undertakings in strong demand. Johannesburg bought largely Anglo-American, Modderfontein and Robinson Deep "B"; but sold Witwatersrand Deep. The market here kept very firm, and the buying of leading counters was described as of the right sort, public inquiries being on an increasing scale. One firm alone acquired a very big parcel of Crown Mines, paying 62s. 6d. and 63s. 9d. for them. Springs Mines changed hands at over 2½, and Brakpan as high as 3¾, the latter being picked up by Paris. With regard to the former, shrewd operators expressed the opinion that they are the pick of the basket. It is pretty certain that the dividend due next month will be 3s. 6d. per share, making 6s. for the year, or 30 per cent., on which basis the yield at the current price is 10 per cent. With the milling capacity being steadily increased, production is rising month by month, and as costs are declining the market is confident of distributions amounting to 40 per cent. next year. West Springs were a good market, and after changing hands at 26s. 3d. they closed either side of this price, while the options advanced to 11s. 6d. The East Rand is unfortunate, an accident having occurred in the Hercules Sha

DOCKRELL LIMITED, M.I.A.A.

FURNITURE AUCTION, TUESDAY NEXT, 20TH NOV. DROMIN, ST. KEVIN'S PARK, RATHMINES.

WE ARE INSTRUCTED TO SELL THE FURNITURE AND FITTINGS, comprising:—Carved Mahog. Cabinet Sideboard, with shaped mirror back; Set of Mahog. Rexhenry Dining Tables; 6 Mahog.-framed Dining Chairs, with seats and backs upholstered in Morocco; Nelson Bureau, with enclosed Mahog. Bookcase over; 2 Walnut Dumb Waiters, Mahog. and Walnut-framed Overmantel Mirrors; Arm Chair, in Morocco; do. in tapestry; Occasional, Bentwood, and Wicker Chairs, Walnut and Satin Walnut Bedroom Suites, Walnut Mirror-door Wardrobes; 2 Mahog. and Walnut and 1 Satin Walnut Chests of Drawers, Wash Stand, Walnut Dressing Chest, Mahog. Tallboy, Brass-mounted Double and Single Beds, Pair Twin Oak Beds, Spring and Hair Mattresses; Painted Press, Blankets and Bedding; Axminster Stair and other Carpeting; Carved Oak Hall Stand, Mahog. Card Table, Screen, Curtains, Hand-embroidered Table Cloth, Mantel and Carriage Clocks, Boudoir Mirror, Trousers Press; Plated Teapot, Kettle, and other Ware; King's Pattern Spoons and Forks, Ornaments, Beatrex Plaques, Electric Fittings; Oil Paintings and other Pictures; Oriental Tea Services; Brass Candlesticks; 11 various Salmon and Trout Rods, 14 various Fishing Creels, Game Bags, Waders, Nets, Books of Flies, and Misc. Fishing Gear; Maid's Room Furniture, Mangle, Kitchen Utensils, Garden Seats, 3 Lawn Mowers, Garden Tools, Wheelbarrow, etc.

To prevent overcrowding a charge of 6d. will be made for admission on the day of Sale.

PROPERTY, THURSDAY, 22ND NOVEMBER, 1.15 P.M., IN OUR SALEROOMS.

IN RE MOTOR HIRAGE & SALES CO. (IN LIQUIDATION).

WE are instructed by the Liquidator, STANLEY STOKES, Esq., to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, THE SPACIOUS PREMISES, 6, 7, 8 MARK'S LANE, and 1, 2, 3 MARK'S ALLEY (OFF GREAT BRUNSWICK STREET).

The Premises are of excellent size, and contain spacious accommodation for motor garage, or any business requiring a good floor area. There is good office accommodation, and two entrances.

The Premises are held as to the main portion for a term of 99 years from 1902, subject to the yearly rent of £15, and as to the remainder for a term of 68 years from 1920, subject to the yearly rent of £18.

The Premises may be inspected at any time on Order to View from the AUCTIONEERS.

Conditions of Sale from

W. J. M. COULTER, Esq., Solicitor, having Carriage of Sale, 200 Great Brunswick street.

AUCTION SALE, THURSDAY, 22ND NOVEMBER, IN OUR SALEROOMS, AT 1.15 P.M.,

81 ST. LAWRENCE ROAD, CLONTARF (WITH POSSESSION).

THIS RESIDENCE is a modern, Semi-detached well-built House, and nicely planned. It contains hall, drawingroom, and diningroom, with folding doors; tiled kitchen and pantry; maid's room, 4 family bedrooms, hot and cold bath, lavatory accommodation; gas throughout; good garden, side entrance.

The House is held for 250 years from 1861, subject to the small ground rent of £3 11/6 per annum, the P.L.V. being £28.

For Conditions of Sale apply to Messrs. MOLLOY, FAYLE and CO., Eustace street; or for Orders to View from the AUCTIONEERS.

DOCKRELL LIMITED, M.I.A.A., AUCTIONEERS, 38 AND 39 SOUTH GREAT GEORGE'S STREET.

JAMES J. SCANNELL'S AUCTIONS.

TO-DAY (WEDNESDAY), 14TH NOVEMBER, AT 4 BACHELOR'S WALK, SALE OF EXPENSIVE COLLECTION OF SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, PIANOS, CARPETS, BICYCLES, &c.,

Comprising:—Presentation Cutlery Canteen, containing 107 pieces, with Solid Silver Spoons and Forks, best Sheffield Plated Soup Tureen, Pair of Sheffield Plated Candelabra; Grand Piano, by John Broadwood and Sons; Cottage Pianos, by D'Almaine and Cadby; 6ft. Walnut and Burr Bedroom Suite, with two Glass Doors to Wardrobe; Duchesse Dressing Table and Washstand, Pedestal Cupboard, and three Chairs, upholstered in silk velour; 5ft. Sheraton Bedroom Suite, with two shaped and bevelled glass doors to Wardrobe; Dressing Chest and Marble-top Washstand; 4ft. Satin Walnut Bedroom Suite; 4ft. Oak Jacobean do.; 4ft. 6in. Mahogany Wardrobe, fitted with Sliding Trays and Hanging Compartment; 4 large Mahogany Chests of Drawers, 6ft. Mahogany Mirror-back Sideboard, 6ft. Oak do.; 8 Oak and Mahogany Telescope Dining Tables, ranging in sizes from 6ft. to 12ft.; 11-Piece Diningroom Suite, in Morocco leather; 9-Piece Diningroom Suite, in red velvet; 5ft. Walnut Sideboard, with mirror back; 4ft. 6in. Mahogany do.; 7-Piece Mahogany Diningroom Suite, in old gold velvet; 9 Parlour Suites, upholstered in saddlebags, velvet, and American cloth; 7-Piece Drawingroom Suite, Chippendale design, in figured velvet; handsome Drawingroom Cabinet, Chippendale design, Overmantel to match; Rosewood Inlaid Drawingroom Cabinet, Inlaid Occasional Drawingroom Tables, large Settee, upholstered in Morocco leather; 6ft. Antique Sheraton Sideboard, Chippendale Blanket Chest, 5ft. 6in. Dwarf Bookcase; handsome French Clock and Pair of Candelabra to match; 4ft. 6in. Pedestal Sideboard; Inlaid Rosewood Overmantel; 2 Four-feet Mirror-back Chiffoniers, 6 Black and Brass Beds, with Wire and Hair Mattresses; 4ft. Oak Beds, with Wire and Hair Mattresses; two 3ft. 6in. Satin Walnut Wardrobes; one 4ft. do., with mirror door; 2 National Cash Registers, in perfect order; Stained Presses, Chests of Drawers, Wardrobes, Dressing Tables, and Washstands; Mahogany Toilet Glasses, Walnut and Mahogany Overmantels; two Cooking Oil Stoves, Camp Beds; Chinz and Glass, All-brass Fenders and Fender Sets; Axminster and Wilton Carpets; Couches and Easy Chairs, in saddlebags; Kitchen Furniture and Utensils, and 70 High-grade Gents's Bicycles, Humbers, Royal Enfield, B.S.A., and James.

SALE AT 1 O'CLOCK. ON VIEW TO-DAY. TEL.—2725.

AUCTION, THIS DAY (WEDNESDAY), AT 1 O'CLOCK, FINE COLLECTION OF ANTIQUE AND MODERN FURNITURE AND PIANOS

(REMOVED FROM VARIOUS PARTS OF THE CITY FOR CONVENIENCE OF SALE),

Comprising of magnificent Upright Grand German Pianos; also two other very good Instruments, several Cabinet and other Gramophones and Records; Solid Mahogany Bedroom Suites, eight Satin Walnut Bedroom Suites, various designs and sizes; Mahogany and Satin Walnut Chest of Drawers, five Chesterfield Suites, covered in moquette, satin, and leather; several Seven and Nine-piece Diningroom Suites, in good condition; beautiful Drawingroom China Cabinets and Overmantels; Sideboards, with lofty mirrored backs; Sideboards in mahogany, walnut, and oak; five good Carpets, Fenders and Brasses, Mahogany and Black Walnut Diningroom Tables, Sets of Diningroom Chairs, real Solas, Wardrobes, Black and Brass Beds, and White Enamelled Twin Beds, with Spring and Hair Mattresses; Cheval Kitchen Dressers, Tables, and Chairs, Screw-top Mangle; beautiful design Bentwood Chairs, to be sold in small lots, to suit purchasers. Several Pairs of Boots and (New) Children's Waterproofs, Woollen Dresses, Towels, Jumpers, and a lot of Miscellaneous Useful Household Effects and some (New) Toys.

Purchasers to pay 5 per cent. Auction Fees.

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AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, 18 BACHELOR'S WALK. 'PHONE—1734.

ON VIEW TO-DAY. SALE TO-MORROW (THURSDAY), ON THE PREMISES, 25 HERBERT AVENUE, MERRION. HOUSE WITH POSSESSION AND FURNITURE.

25 HERBERT AVENUE, MERRION, Semi-detached, Non-basement House, with large garden, greenhouse, and side entrance; hay windows to roof; electric light; choice situation. Held under two leases—one for 135 years from 1896, at the yearly rent of £5 per annum; and the other for 65 years from 1896, indemnified against rent.

WILLIAM V. SEDDALL, Solicitor, 6 Westmoreland street.

THE FURNITURE includes: Settee, Chairs and Tables, Lounge and Easy Chairs, Walnut Cabinet; Carpets, Music Seats, Mahogany Hall Stand and Chairs, Oak Enclosed Sideboard, with mirror back; Set of Oak Chairs and Telescope Table, Silver and Plated Ware, Fire Sets, Pictures and Engravings, Vases and Bric-a-brac; Bedroom and Kitchen Furniture; Lawn Mower, Plants and Garden Tools, Lady's New Hudson Cycle and Gent's Cycle.

SALE OF FURNITURE BEGINS 11.30. HOUSE WILL BE SOLD AT 2 P.M.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO., AUCTIONEERS, 110 GRAFTON STREET.

PALMERSTOWN, CHAPELIZOD. LANDS NEAR DUBLIN CATTLE MARKET.

WE have been instructed by Mr. JAMES DALY to SELL BY AUCTION, in One or Two Lots, on THURSDAY, 22nd NOVEMBER (if not previously disposed of) at our AUCTION MART, OLD CABRA ROAD, 11 O'CLOCK.

LOT 1.—RED COW FARM, 81a. 1r. 30p., STATUTE MEASURE, held in fee-simple, subject to Land Commission Annuity of £117 12/8 for 49 years.

LOT 2.—PART OF PALMERSTOWN, known as Black Ditch, 40a. 2r. 12p., Statute. Held for ever under a Fee-farm grant at a rent of £16 17/6.

These Lands are situated on Lucan road, near Chapelizod, about 3 miles from Dublin; prime quality; very suitable for Cattle Parks or Dairy purposes, all in grass. On Lot 1 there are two Cottages, large enclosed yard, with 31 loose-box stables, large hay shed, and corn loft. On Lot 2 herd's house and out-offices. On the Lands there are two steeplechase courses, both and natural fences, also straight flat, about four furlongs galloping. All the stables are in perfect order, no outlay required. Being so convenient to City, we consider it a particularly desirable property for Dairy purposes.

Conditions of Sale and further particulars from

Messrs. THOMAS GERRARD and CO., Solicitors, 25 Westmoreland street, Dublin; or

LAURENCE CUFFE & SONS, LTD., M.I.A.A., 5 SMITHFIELD, DUBLIN.

ON VIEW THIS DAY (WEDNESDAY). SALE THIS (WEDNESDAY) EVENING AT 6 O'CLOCK.

IN THE DIVISIONAL AUCTION ROOMS, 8 MERCHANT'S QUAY, THIS (WEDNESDAY) EVENING, 14th NOV., at the hour of 6 o'clock precisely, HIGHLY IMPORTANT AND ATTRACTIVE SALE BY AUCTION FROM

KELLY'S GREAT CENTRAL MONEY OFFICE, 48 FLEET STREET,

Comprising:—WATCHES—Gent.'s Gold Levers, by Russell, Waltham (adjusted); Silver Levers, by noted makers; Gold and Silver Wrist Watches.

DIAMONDS AND JEWELLERY.—6 Half-hoop Diamond Rings, Single Stone do., Half-hoop Diamond and other Gem-set Rings, Diamond and Ruby Horseshoe Brooch, Diamond and Opal Cluster Brooch, Gold Chatelaine-Cigarette Case, Gold Coins and Medals, Brooches, Bracelets, Earrings and Pendants, Guard, Albert, and Demi-Chains, Gold and Platinum Chain, do. Bracelet.

SILVER AND PLATED WARE.—Silver Cups, Bowls, Cigar, Cigarette, and Card Cases, Trinket Boxes, Pocket Flask, Old Sheffield and Electro-plated Ware comprises 3 Pairs D.S. Sandlesticks, Two-handled and Oval Trays, with pierced galleries; 3-Compartment Vegetable Dish, 5 do. Centrepiece, Mirror Plateau, Tea and Coffee Sets, Venison Dish, etc. NOTE—THE ABOVE PROPERTY WILL BE ON VIEW AT AUCTION ROOMS ON THIS DAY FROM 11 TO 5. SALE THIS EVENING AT 6.

THOMAS GARLAND, AUCTIONEER AND VALUER, **8 MERCHANT'S QUAY.**

SALE THIS DAY, COMMENCING AT NOON. 58 NORTHUMBERLAND ROAD, DUBLIN. THE ENTIRE CONTENTS OF THE ABOVE RESIDENCE—

Comprising: Antique and Modern Furniture, Pianola, in mahogany case; Donegal and Axminster Carpets, Silk and Foglia Curtains, Oil Paintings and Coloured Prints, Old China and Glass, Plated Ware, Bedroom Suites, Mahogany Bedsteads and Bedding, Table Glass and China, Vacuum Cleaner, Humber Bicycle, etc., etc.

All the foregoing described in Catalogues, 1/6 each, to Admit Two Persons.

BENNETT & SON, LIMITED, M.I.A.A., AUCTIONEERS & VALUERS, 6 UPPER ORMOND QUAY.

SALE THIS DAY, PUNCTUALLY AT 12 O'CLOCK. 4 WILLOW TERRACE, BLACKROCK. SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, COLLARD & COLLARD UPRIGHT PIANOFORTE, PLATED WARE, PAINTINGS, ETCHINGS, ETC., ETC.

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TO-MORROW (THURSDAY), 15th, AT ONE.
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EXECUTORS' SALE.
C. B. A. MacDonnell, Deceased.
MONTORE,
KING EDWARD ROAD, BRAY,
TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY, 20th NOVEMBER, 1923.

AUCTION SALE OF COSTLY MODERN FURNITURE and CARPETS, OLD DECORATIVE CHINA, GARDEN EFFECTS, etc., comprising briefly:—Chippendale, Louis and Louis China Cabinets, Chesterfield and other Couches, numerous Divan Easy Chairs, Occasional Inlaid Chairs and Tables, Sheraton Curio, Gateleg and Moorish Tables, Inlaid Mah. Slope-Front Secretary, Large Oak Roll-Top Desk and Pedestal Writing Table; Walnut, Mah. and Oak Open and 3-Door Bookcases, Amberg Filing Cabinet, Study Chair, Barograph Barometer, Fine Axminster and Wilton Room and Stair Carpets and Rugs, Hall Clock, Table and Chairs, Curtains, Queen Anne style Mah. Mirrored Sideboard, Telescope Dinner Table and 8 Dining Chairs, Teapoy, Copper Coal Helmets, Brass Fenders and Fire Utensils, Chippendale and other Mirrors, Overmantels, Vases, Dresden and other China; Tureens, Bowls, Vases, Plates, numerous Figures, etc.; Silk 4-Fold Screen, Tantalus, Dinner, Dessert and Tea Ware; Table Glass and China, Fine Sheraton, Mah. and Painted Oak Bedroom Suites, with Double and Single Bedsteads to match; Gent.'s Wardrobes, Duchess Toilet Tables, Chests Drawers and Toilet ware, Spring and Hair Mattresses, Blankets and Bedding; maid's room Furniture, Kitchen Dresser, Furniture, Utensils and Coppers; Penn Lawn Mower, Garden Benches, Tools, Ladders and Planks, Iron Roller, Water Carrier, Tennis Posts, etc. On View Morning of Sale, 10 till 12. Sale Tuesday, 20th November, at 12 o'clock sharp. Purchasers to pay 5 per cent. Auction Fees.

JAMES ADAM & SONS, Auctioneers and Appraisers, 17 MERRION ROW and 19 STEPHEN'S GREEN.

BLOOMSBURY, KIMMAGE RD., DUBLIN.

A COMPACT FOUR-ROOMED DWELLING-HOUSE FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION, in our Saleroms, at 35 SMITHFIELD, DUBLIN, TO-MORROW (THURSDAY), 15th NOVEMBER, 1923, at 1.30 o'clock.

This Property is held Free of Rent for the residue of a term of 99 years. Possession to Purchaser.

For further particulars and Conditions of Sale apply to

JOHN MORAN, Esq., Solicitor, 34 Lower Ormond quay, Dublin; or to

E. & D. CARTON, Auctioneers and Valuers, 35 SMITHFIELD, DUBLIN.

Telephones—2875 and 2876. Telegrams: Ryegrass.

TO MARKET GARDENERS, CATTLE DEALERS, INVESTORS AND OTHERS.

HOLDING OF SUPERIOR LAND FOR SALE, Situated at

DONNYCARNEY, CO. DUBLIN.

WE are instructed by the Owner to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION in our Saleroms, 35 SMITHFIELD, DUBLIN, TO-MORROW (THURSDAY), 15th NOV., 1923, at One o'clock, Part of the Lands of Artane South, containing 17 acres and 20 perches, Statute measure, or thereabouts, situate at Puckstown road, Donnycarney, Co. Dublin. Held in fee simple, subject to an annuity of £35 8/-, payable to the Irish Land Commission. Poor Law Valuation £31. There is a cottage erected on the property.

This Land is convenient to the principal markets. It is admirably adapted to the purpose of market gardening, or it would prove of great value to those interested in the cattle trade for paddocks, being at present laid down under grass. As a building site it should become a very profitable investment, being bounded on the north by the Puckstown road, immediately off the Malahide road.

For further particulars and Conditions of Sale apply to

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2 SYDENHAM VILLAS, DUNDRUM, CO. DUBLIN.

MESSRS. R. STRAHAN and CO., LTD., are instructed to SELL BY AUCTION TO-DAY (WEDNESDAY), 14th NOV., 1923, the Premises, all the valuable Antique and Modern FURNITURE, including the following ANTIQUES:—INLAID SET OF 8 DINING CHAIRS, 2 SMALL INLAID MAHOGANY SIDEBOARDS, and Inlaid Dining Tables, Inlaid Side Table, FINE SEMI-CIRCULAR DO., Folding Card Tables, 2 Oak Queen Anne Chairs, GILT CONVEX MIRROR, Inlaid Mahog. DRESSING CHEST AND TOILET GLASS. MODERN FURNITURE includes:—Chesterfield Sofa and Easy Chairs, Mahogany 2' 6" Bureau Bookcase, Sutherland Table, 6' Mahog. Wardrobe, Mahog. Bedstead and Bedding, Wash Table, Engravings, Axminster STAIR CARPETS AND RUGS, INDIAN CARPET, Brass Fenders, etc.; Servants' and Kitchen Furniture, a large quantity of HOUSEHOLD LINEN, culinary utensils, china and glass, etc., etc., all of good quality and in fine condition.

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DUNGANNON, CO. TYRONE.

IMPORTANT AUCTION OF GENTLEMAN'S RESIDENCE AND FREEHOLD FARM.

CAPTAIN G. E. BARCROFT (who is giving up farming and has purchased another residence) has instructed me to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, on the Premises, on TUESDAY, 20th NOVEMBER, 1923, at Eleven o'clock a.m., that Handsome Residence with Valuable Farm of Land attached, in the Townland of Stangmore, containing 63 ACRES,

or thereabouts: held in Fee Simple, subject to the terminable half-yearly instalment of £26 16/2.

This Property is situate in a picturesque, accessible, and prosperous locality, adjoining the County Road leading from the important Market Town of Dungannon to Moy (famous for its Monthly Fair), about 11 miles from the former and 2½ from the latter. The Residence, known as "Stangmore House," is beautifully situated, substantially built, cement-finished, and slated, and contains 2 reception rooms, 5 bedrooms, dressing room, bath and hot and cold water, bathroom, 4th and 5th rooms, kitchen, pantries, scullerie, dairies, etc. There is a very large orchard, and walled-in fruit and vegetable garden (with water laid on), greenhouses, etc.; also enclosed yard with extensive, slated, and up-to-date out-offices, comprising stables, loose boxes, byres for 30 head of cattle, with lofts overhead; calves' houses, piggery, boiling house, large barn, motor house, potato, turnip, cart and implement houses; apple loft; 2 large hay sheds, etc., all in first-class order. There is also a large beetling and scutch mill, with splendid water-power.

The Lands are of the highest quality, in the pink of condition, well fenced, drained and watered, and are famous for their rich grazing and heavy crop-producing properties.

Immediately after the Sale of the Premises there will be Sold the entire Stock of Shorthorn and Dairy Cattle, Horses, Sheep, Pigs, Crop, Farm Implements, Machinery, etc.

For further particulars apply to

SIMMONS, MEGLAUGHLIN and ORR, Solicitors, Dungannon; or

JOHN BRYARS, Auctioneer, etc., DUNGANNON, CO. TYRONE.

STORE CATTLE AUCTION TO-MORROW (THURSDAY), 11 O'CLOCK. GANLY, SONS & CO. USHER'S QUAY, DUBLIN.

SALE THIS DAY BY

McKEOWN, MacKEOGH & CO.

SALE OF ROBERTSON'S RUSH BULB FARM, LTD., RUSH, CO. DUBLIN.

BY PUBLIC AUCTION, on the Lands, as above, at 12 o'clock sharp, all the Interest in the above Valuable Estate, consisting of several fields of splendid Land, together with large Store and extensive Out-offices, being situated on the main road, some of these fields would be admirably suited for building sites.

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'Phone 398.

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Killiney, 7½ Acres—HANDSOME DETACHED RESIDENCE, convenient to station and sea, to be Sold, free of rent for ever. The house contains 4 reception rooms, 7 bedrooms, maid's rooms, hot bath, garden, tennis ground, stables, and motor house, and enjoys lovely views. For orders to view apply to Dockrell Limited, South Great George's street.

Palmerston Park, TRAM LINE (ADJOINING)—Exceedingly well-built modern DETACHED HOUSE FOR SALE, with possession: Non-Basement, two-storeyed, double-fronted; handsome hall, drawing-room, diningroom, study, billiard room, 5 bedrooms, dressing room, maid's room, tiled kitchen, pantries, electric light, motor house, large garden, and room for tennis. The House requires not one penny outlay, and the woodwork and enrichments are especially fine. Held for ever, only subject to £9 per annum. Apply to Dockrell Limited, South Great George's street.

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SANDYMOUNT—PRETTY DOUBLE-FRONTED Non-Basement Cottage to Let, Furnished, £11 per month; every convenience; good garden; excellent order. Apply Battersby and Co., Agents.

£1,300—NORTH CITY—2 ACRES—Attractive Detached Bungalow on Flat; no basement. Possession. Apply Battersby, Agents.

BATTERSBY & CO., Auctioneers, 39 WESTMORELAND STREET, DUBLIN.

CLYDE ROAD — Detached House FOR SALE, recently decorated; electric light; containing 5 sitting, 6 bedrooms, ample servants' accommodation, h. and c. bath, garage, etc. Full particulars from JAMES ADAM and SONS, Agents, 17 Merrion Row, Dublin.

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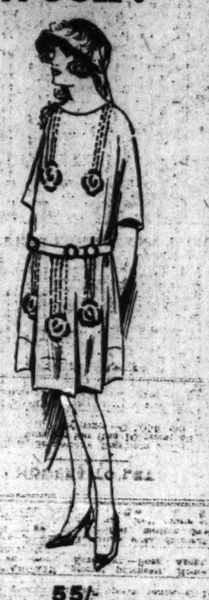

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CYCLE Business, good Residence for Sale, goodwill and stock, £500.—O 999, this office. 13 F

FOR Sale, good Confectionery and Tobacco Business, on leading road in Belfast, with Residence; immediate possession. Full particulars from Walter G. Gray, 73 Donegall street, Belfast; 'phone 1645. 12 O

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LICENSED Hotel, popular Dublin seaside resort, with large Hall and Hydro attached (Going Concern), £10,000.—Etchingham and Co., 7 Lower Pembroke st. 12 E

MILK Round for Sale, 30 gallons daily; twelve cows, cob, gig and harness, not separated.—O 1009, this office. 13 F

HOUSES AND LANDS FOR SALE.

AUCTION 15th November, 140 Clonliffe road, Drumcondra; bright modern non basement House; possession—Rathnady, Auctioneers, Westmoreland st. 11 D

AT Dublin, free of rent for ever; 7 apartments, h. and c. bath, with extensive out offices, convenient to rail and tram; suit for hunting residence; or offer to rent higgat be considered; price £600.—Allen and Son, Agents, 75 Mid. Abbey street, Dublin. 9 E

A BRICK and cement, Freehold Bungalow, containing 4 rooms and large scullery, in good order, with outbuildings, greenhouse, about 3 acres of ground, halt planted with 230 fruit trees, in good bearing, good water supply. Apply Bungalow, Hollybrook, Hilton road, Houghton Regis, near Dunstable, Beds. 12 E

A BEAUTIFULLY situated, corner House, Newtownsmith, containing 6 lovely apartments, newly renovated, all main services; rent £52 per week. Lease 99 years; no reasonable offer refused.—Avery and Foott, 19 Crow street.

A BEAUTIFUL Residence at Merrion square, North, for a term of all modern conveniences, head rent £100, short lease; price £1,250.—Jones, 114 Stephen's Green.

AUCTION, Monday next, 19th, 1 o'clock, at Dawson street Saleroom, "Beachville," Sandymount avenue, Ballsbridge, with vacant possession, standing in own grounds, almost an acre; lease 999 years; 100 per ground rent £21.—A second House, half built, unique speculation. Full particulars from O'Farrell and McCullagh, Solicitors, 46 Dawson street, or the Auctioneers, Thomas F. Maher, of Dawson street Saleroom. Telephone 4062. 11 D

A MODERN semi detached House, Monkstown, two reception, five bedrooms, bath, h. and c., etc., for Sale, with Furniture, complete.—O 1020, this office.

AN Attractive Investment—Four modern non basement Houses, Grosvenor square, Rathmines (without possession), long lease, good condition; average letting value, £63; poor law valuation, £24; head rent, £3 each; can be seen by appointment.—O 1017, this office. 13 F

BOTANIC road (118), possession—Attractive Residence; sitting-room, diningroom, kitchen, 4 bedrooms, hot and cold bath, good garden, garage, electric light; also 2 new houses, 5 rooms each.—Mac Arthur's Auction, Friday, 23rd November. 12 E

COTTAGE style House, convenient position; pay large percentage; price £150 each. Particulars, MacArthur's. 9 C

CLONTARF—9 Rutland place for Sale, with possession; lease 120 years, head rent £2 10/-; price £400. Key 9 C.

CLAUDIA road (23), possession—Neat two-storeyed Residence; sitting-room, 3 bedrooms, hot and cold bath, kitchen, pantries, scullery, electric light, large garden, with side entrance. Orders to view from Auctioneers, MacArthur's Auction, Friday, 23rd November. 12 E

CLONTARF (possession)—Fine House, 7 apartments, bath; long lease.—Barron and Son, Auctioneers.

DONNYBROOK—3 Herbert Park, handsome modern non basement House; possession; in perfect order; Auction 15th November.—Battersby, Auctioneer's Dublin. 9 D

DRUMCONDRA—47 Hollybank road, Auction 15th November; compact House, conveniently situated; possession.—Battersby, Auctioneers, Dublin. 9 D

DRUMCONDRA—Detached Bungalow on 3 acres, price £1,300; possession. Orders to view, MacArthur and Co. 9 C

DRUMCONDRA—For Sale, with possession, non-basement House, 9 rooms; no head rent; lease for ever; long garden, motor entrance; 1½d. tram; all modern conveniences.—O 885, this office. 9 C

DAVID road (15), possession—Modern House, in splendid order; two sittingrooms, four bedrooms, hot and cold bath, large garden, back entrance. Keys with the Auctioneers. MacArthur's Auction, Friday, 23rd November. 12 E

DETACHED Residence, overlooking North Harbour; 12 apartments; possession; £2,000.—Rathnady and Co., 7 Lower Pembroke st. 12 E

DRUMCONDRA District, Houses, with possession, £1,300, £250, and Fairview, £1,100; Terenure, £1,100 and £1,250; Kingstown, £1,150 and £1,750; Sidney Parade, £1,100. Apply Barron and Son, Auctioneers. 13 F

DUN Laoghaire—House for Sale; suitable for a boarding house or flats—5 Claremont terrace.

FOR Sale, with clear possession—House, two storey Detached House (St. Faithes, Mount Tallant avenue, Harold's Cross), with over four acres, subject to Fee-Farm rent of £64 13/5; 2 of the Premises still recently occupied by the Kenilworth Laundry, held for ever, indemnified from all rent; 30 new Cottage, adjoining Kenilworth Laundry, held for ever, indemnified from all rent. Apply 23 Fitz place, Dublin. 9 C

FOR Sale, Fearnot neighbourhood, substantial modern House, 7 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, servant's room, and other conveniences; land good and available for tillage, out offices, garden, greenhouse, etc., and two acres of grazing, all in first-class order, apply to Fearnot. Will be sold by private treaty; free of rent, 999 years. Apply O 1057, this office.

GLENAGEARY—House, eight apartments, with possession, Sale, £1,000.—O 1062, this office.

IONA (district)—Modern House, £1,300; possession; attractive Residence, £1,350; possession. Orders to view from MacArthur's. 9 C

INCHICORE—Modern compact House, every convenience; 5 apartments; bath; 6d. tram fare; price £500.—Battersby, Westmoreland st. 12 D

MODERN 6 roomed House, garage; 800 yards tram; £950; possession.—15 Park View avenue, Ranelagh.

NORTH suburbs—Choice Bungalow, 3 rooms, hall and bath, garage; possession, £1,025.—Allen and Jones, Son, Agents.

NORTH Strand District—Two storeyed House, with possession; parlour, 3 bedrooms, kitchen, yard, back entrance, etc.; £425. Orders to view, MacArthur's. 9 C

PEMBROKE—Attractive House on favourite road; price £1,100; possession; large garden, good accommodation. Orders to view, MacArthur's. 9 C

HOUSES AND LANDS CONTINUED.

PEMBROKE road, 75, for Sale, with possession; semi detached attractive house; first class order, up to date conveniences, electric lights; 3 reception, 6 bedrooms, etc.; good garden, greenhouse, garage. Apply Owner in occupation. 9 C

PORTOBELLO—Non-basement House, with possession; convenient situation; 7 bedrooms, large garden; price £450. Orders to view, MacArthur's. 9 C

PORTOBELLO—Convenient position, nice House, with possession; good accommodation. Orders to view, MacArthur's. 9 C

POSSESSION—Sandycove, £900; Clonliffe road, £625; Rathmines, £800 (tram line); Rathgar, £900.—Etchingham and Co., 7 Lower Pembroke st. 12 E

RATHMINES road—Good House, 7 apartments; possession; moderate price. Keys at MacArthur's. 9 C

S. C. road—Neat House, possession, price £375. Orders to view, MacArthur's. 9 C

SANDYCOVE—Vacant possession, excellent House, 8 apartments; bathroom, garage; price £900. Particulars from Prim Bros., 21 Dawson street. 9 C

WARRENPOINT—For Sale, good Dwellinghouse, with about 2 acres of land.—E. Pedlow, Chemist, Warrenpoint. 8 D

WHARTON terrace (No. 2, just off main Harold's Cross road); possession; sittingroom, 3 bedrooms, hot and cold bath, kitchen, yard at rear; held for ever free of rent. Orders to view from Auctioneers, Mac Arthur's Auction, Friday, 23rd November. 12 E

WITH Furniture, Fittings, Garage, nice, convenient House; prompt purchaser special terms.—O 1068, this office. 9 F

£700—BARGAIN, prompt purchaser, House for sale; two rooms, Kingstown—Boog, Agent, 24 Main st., Blackrock.

£4,500—FARM, 43 statute acres, excellent pasture, near Belfast; modern dwelling-house; rateable value £6,000 thrift; death causes selling. Address "Z 2491, Farm," 8 c/o Smith's. 9 F

HOUSES TO LET.

DOCTOR'S or Gentleman's Residence to Let, Leeson street, for term not less than 10 years; all modern improvements; £150 and taxes.—O 1058, this office. 13 D

UNFURNISHED House, Brighton road, Rathgar, to Let, January, rent £90 and taxes.—O 894, this office. 12 E

HOUSES WANTED.

DOLPHIN'S Barn or S.C.R.—Eight or nine roomed House Wanted; large garden, garage.—O 1014, this office. 13 F

FIFTY Pounds Reward given for buy of House in respectable district.—O 726, this office. 9 C

FURNISHED House required, twelve months or longer; Rathmines, Terenure districts preferred; £3 to £5 per month.—Wills 67 Morns road, Rathmines, Dublin.

HOUSE Wanted, Ballsbridge to Sandycove; 8 or 9 apartments.—O 1045, this office.

HOUSE or Bungalow Wanted to Rent, modern, city, suburbs, or seaside; garage if possible.—O 1086, this office. 13 B

PEMBROKE District—Non basement House wanted to Purchase.—O 1005, this office. 13 F

WANTED, small, non-basement House, Furnished or partly, £4, 15, 16 roules preferred; solvent tenant; moderate rent; any period.—Simms, 44 Middle Abbey street. 9 C

WANTED, non basement House to Buy, in or around Ballsbridge, about £1,000; possession required.—O 901, this office. 9 F

WANTED, Unfurnished small non basement House or Bungalow within easy distance city, near tram or train